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FIRST DAY.

COUNTY COUNCIL CHAMBER,

WOODSTOCK, 4TH JUNE, 1895.

The Council met this day at 2 o'clock p. m., on the call of the Warden.

The Warden in the chair.

Before calling the roll the Warden addressed the Council on the work of the session.

Members present: Messrs. the Warden, Bartley, Baxter, Bell, Berry, Burn, Colyer, Cuthbert, Durkee, Ferguson, Henderson, Hicks, Histand, Jones, Kaufman, Knight, Murray, McComb, McKay, McMillan, Peacock, Pettit, John Prouse, Thomas Prouse, Rapson, Columbus Ross, D. R. Ross, Roth, Schell, Snyder, Duncan Smith, John Smith, Virtue, Wallace, Watson, Webster.

The minutes of the proceedings on the last day of the January session were read and confirmed.

The following communications were read by the Clerk:

1st.—Annual Report of the Woodstock and Norwich Gravel Road Co., for the year 1894.

2nd.—Annual Report of the Ingersoll and Northern Gravel Road Co, for the year 1894.

3rd.—Annual Report of the Ingersoll and Port Burwell Gravel Road Co., for the year 1894.

4th.—Presentment of the Grand Jury made at the Spring Assizes.

5th.—From the President of Agricultural College, Guelph, advising that there is no student in attendance, appointed for free tuition by this Council.

6th.—From W. E. Butler, applying for appointment as County student to the Ontario Agricultural College.

7th.—From the Department of the Attorney-General, enclosing copy of Order-in-Council appointing P. J. McKay shorthand writer for the Local Courts of Oxford, and fixing his fees.

8th.—From the Secretary of Prisoners' Aid Association enclosing circulars describing the character of their work and requesting a grant to aid them in their efforts.

9th.—Report of the County Auditors on the accounts of the county for the year ending 31st December, 1894, and enclosing a detailed statement of the said accounts.

10th.—The County Auditors' Abstract Statement of the Township School Accounts for the year ending Feb. 28th, 1894.

11th.—From Clifford Kemp, of Woodstock, Solicitor, demanding for Mrs. Cromwell payment of an account for 8 weeks' board for Mrs. Camb and her child, amounting to $25.00.

12th.—From the Education Department containing the apportionment of the Legislative School Grant for 1895 to the several township municipalities in this County.

13th.—County Clerk's Report of the licenses issued to date and the monies paid therefor to the County Treasurer.

14th.—County Treasurers' report of the estimates of receipts and expenditure for the year ending 31st May, 1895.

15th.—From Lieutenant Col. Munro, commanding Oxford Rifles, praying for a grant of money to supplement the pay of the non-commissioned officers and men of the battalion while performing their annual drill, and requesting the Council to receive a deputation of officers in support of their application.

16th.—Semi-annual Report of the manager of the House of Refuge.

17th.—From the Secretary of the Ontario Good Roads Association enclosing copy of a resolution passed at the last meeting of the Association and requesting that the same be considered by this Council at the present session.

18th.—Annual Report of the Inspector of Public Schools.

19th.—Sundry accounts against the County.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. Murray, and

Resolved—That the several communications just read, be referred to the various Committees to which they apply for their report thereon.

Moved by Mr. Murray, seconded by Mr. Bell, and

Resolved—That a committee composed of Dr. McKay, D. R. Ross, H. Webster, M. Durkee, T. Prouse, and the mover be appointed to report some scheme whereby the Auctioneers' and Pedlars' License By-Law may be more thoroughly enforced; and the mode of conviction by the local Inspectors simplified and sustained; and that the Committee report at this session.

On motion made and seconded, the council adjourned until 10 o'clock to-morrow, a. m.

WILLIAM WATTERWORTH,
Warden.

SECOND DAY.

County Council Chamber,

Woodstock, 5th June, 1895.

Council met pursuant to adjournment.

The Warden in the chair.

With the exception of Mr. D. Smith, all the members were present.

Minutes of yesterday's proceediugs were read and confirmed

A communication from Allan McDougall. C. E., Toronto, enclosing a nnmber of printed copies of an address dedicated to County Councillors on the subject of Road Making was read.

On motion made and seconded, the Council adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m.

Afternoon Session.

Council met pursuant to adjournment.

The Warden in the chair.

Mr. D. Smith was present and took his seat.

The following communications were read:

1st.—From G. R. Pattullo, County Registrar, referring to the necessity for certain changes in the plan of construction and heating of the Registry Office, and requesting that immediate action be taken thereon.

2nd.—From the Reeve of Embro, enclosing copy of a resolution passed by the Council of the Village of Embro requesting the Council to a assume a certain bridge within the limits of said village.

The semi-annual Report of the surgeon of the House of Refuge was read.

Mr. Webster, Chairman of the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment brought, up their second report which was read.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. Durkee, and

Resolved—That the second report of Finance and Assessment Committee just read be adopted.

Moved by D. R. Ross, seconded by Mr. Pettit, and

Resolved—That Messrs. T. Prouse, Colyer, Durkee, Henderson and the Bridge Inspector, be appointed a Committee to examine and report of the Embro bridge on Friday; the Committee to incur no expense chargeable to this Council.

Moved by Mr. Berry, seconded by Mr. Bartley, and

Resolved—That the mover have leave to introduce a By-Law to amend By-Law No. 386 and that this constitute the first reading of the By-Law.

By-Law was read a first time.

A petition from Edmund Karn and 33 others, residents and ratepayers of the Township of East Zorra, praying that an appropriation be made towards the repair of the 11th line of that Township on the ground, that the said road is needed and largely used for County purposes, was read.

A deputation of the Constabulary of the County was introduced by the Sheriff, and by permission of the Council a number of the Constables addressed the Council upon matters appertaining to their work. At the suggestion of the Warden, the request of the Constables was committed to writing, and afterwards read to the Conncil.

By permission of the Council, Col. Munro who was present, and others of the officers addressed the Council in support of the application made in behalf of the 22nd Battalion, for a grant of money to supplement the pay of the volunteers while performing their annual drill.

Moved by Mr. D. R. Ross, seconded by Mr. Knight,

That this Council grant the sum of fifteen cents per day to each non-commissioned officer and private performing twelve days drill at London Camp, commencing 18th of June, next, and the Treasurer be authorized to pay the same on the certificate of the officer commanding the 22nd Battalion, "Oxford Rifles."

Moved in amendment by Mr. Baxter, seconded by Mr. Jones,

That the request of Col. Munro for a grant of money to supplement the pay of the Battalion while in drill at London be laid over for the further consideration of this Council.

Moved in amendment to the amendment by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. Murray,

That the request of Col. Munro re assistance in aid of Oxford Battalion be referred to the Finance Committee.

Mr. Webster's amendment was put and carried.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. D. R. Ross, and

Resolved—That the petition of the Oxford Constabulary Association be referred to the Standing Special Committee.

On motion made and seconded, the Council adjourned until 10 o'clock to-morrow, a. m.

WILLIAM WATTERWORTH,
Warden.

THIRD DAY.

County Council Chamber,

Woodstock, 6th June, 1895.

Council met pursuant to adjournment.

The Warden in the chair.

With the exception of Mr. John Prouse, all the members were present.

Minutes of yesterdays proceedings were read and confirmed.

A communication from A. D. Griffin, Secretary of Oxford Teachers' Institute, requesting that the usual authorized grant of $25.00 be made by the County Council to the said Institute, was read.

Mr. Bell, Chairman of the Standing Committee on Printing, brought up their second Report which was read.

Moved by Mr. Bell, seconded by Mr. Pettit, and

Resolved—That the Report of the Standing Committee on Printing just read, be adopted.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. McMillan, and

Resolved—That the mover have leave to introduce a By-Law to levy County and School rates for the current year, and that this constitute the first reading of the By-Law.

By-Law was read a first time.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. McMillan, and

Resolved—That the By-Law to levy County and School rates for the current year be now read a second time.

By-Law was read a second time.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. McMillan, and

Resolved—That the mover have leave to introduce a By-Law to appropriate the sum of three thousand dollars for the improvement of County roads and Bridges, and the said By-Law be now read a first time.

By-Law was read a first time.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. McMillan, and

Resolved—That the By-Law for County roads and bridges be now read a second time.

By-Law was read a second time.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. McMillan, and

Resolved—That the Council do now go into Committee of the whole on the By-Law re County roads and bridges.

Council moved into Committee of the whole.

Mr. Murray in the chair.

By-Law was read clause by clause and the blanks filled in, in Committee of the whole.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. McMillan, and

Resolved—That the Committee do now rise and report the By-Law as passed in Committee of the whole, without amendment.

Committee rose and reported the By-Law as passed in Committee of the whole, without amendment.

Council resumed and adopted the report of the Committee of the whole.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. McMillan, and

Resolved—That the By-Law re County roads and bridges be now read a third time and passed and numbered 389, and that Rule 36 be suspended as far as this By-Law is concerned.

By-Law was read a third time and passed, signed, sealed and numbered 389

On motion made and seconded, the council adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m.

Afternoon Session.

Council met pursuant to adjournment.

The Warden in the chair.

Mr. John Prouse was present and took his seat.

The Warden referred to the sudden illness of the County Treasurer. He stated that he had requested the County Solicitor to consult with the bondsmen of the Treasurer. He was glad to state that Mr. Brown's medical adviser had just informed him that there was no immediate danger, and promised to advise him of his state later in the day.

Mr. Durkee, Chairman of the Special Committee, to whom was referred communications not referred to other Standing Committees, brought up their second report which was read.

Moved by Mr. Durkee, seconded by Mr. Kaufman,

That the second report of the Special Committee just read, be adopted.

Moved in amendment by Mr. McMillan, seconded by Mr. Webster,

That the Council go into Committee of the whole on the second Report of the Special Committee.

The amendment on being put was carried.

Council moved into Committee of the whole.

Mr. Bartley in the chair.

Report was read clause by clause.

Moved by Mr. Durkee, seconded by Mr. Hicks, and

Resolved,—That the Committee do now rise and report the Report as passed in Committee of the whole, without amendment.

Committee rose and reported the Report as passed in Committee of the whole, without amendment.

Council resumed and adopted the report of the Committee of the whole.

Moved by Mr. Henderson, seconded by Mr. Ferguson, and

Resolved,—That the Council visit the Industrial Farm in a body in order to decide the location of buildings recommended and other changes under consideration and the Council adjourn at 4 o'clock this afternoon, and that no expense be incurred for conveyance.

On motion made and seconded, the Council adjourned until 10 o'clock to-morrow a. m.

WILLIAM WATTERWORTH,
Warden.

FOURTH DAY.

County Council Chamber,
Woodstock, 7th June, 1895.

Council met pursuant to adjournment.

The Warden in the chair.

All the members were present.

Minutes of yesterday's proceedings were read and confirmed.

The Warden stated that the County Treasurer's health had considerably improved, and that he would now be able to attend to necessary business.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. Kaufman, and

Resolved—That the mover have leave to introduce a By-Law to amend By-Law No. 319, and that this constitute the first reading of the By-Law.

By-Law was read a first time.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. Kaufman, and

Resolved—That the By-Law to amend By-Law No. 319 be now read a second time.

By-Law was read a second time.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. Kaufman, and

Resolved—That the Council do now go into Committee of the whole on the By-Law to amend By-Law No. 319.

Council moved into Committee of the whole.

Mr. Schell in the chair.

By-Law was read in Committee of the whole.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. McMillan, and

Resolved,—That the Committee do now rise and report the By-Law to amend By-Law No. 319 as passed in Committee of the whole without amendment.

Committee rose and reported the By-Law as passed in Committee of the whole without amendment.

Council resumed and adopted the report of the Committee of the whole.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. McMillan, and

Resolved,—That the By-Law to amend By-Law No. 319 be now read a third time and passed; and that Rule 36 be suspended so far as this By-Law is concerned.

By-Law was read a third time and passed, signed, sealed and numbered 390.

Moved by Mr. Berry, seconded by Mr. Bartley, and

Resolved,—That a By-Law to amend By-Law No. 386 be now read a second time.

By-Law was read a second time.

Moved by Mr. Berry, seconded by Mr. Bartley, and

Resolved,—That the Council go into Committee of the whole on the By-Law to amend By-Law No. 386.

Council moved into Committee of the whole.

Mr. Pettit in the chair.

By-Law was read and the blank filled in with the name Wm. Partlo, in Committee of the whole.

Moved by Mr. Berry, seconded by Mr. Bartley, and

Resolved,—That the Committee do now rise and report the By-Law as passed in Committee of the whole with blank filled in.

Committee rose and reported the By-Law as passed in Committee of the whole with blank filled in.

Council resumed and adopted the report of the Committee of the whole.

Moved by Mr. Berry, seconded by Mr. Bartley, and

Resolved—That the By-Law to amend By-Law No. 386 be read a third time and passed, signed, sealed and numbered 391.

By-Law read a third time and passed, signed, sealed and numbered 391.

On motion made and seconded, the Council adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m.

Afternoon Session.

Council assembled pursuant to adjournment and called to order at 2.30 o'clock.

The Warden in the chair.

Mr. Murray, Chairman of the Special Committee appointed to recommend some scheme to more thoroughly enforce the Auctioneers', Hawkers' and Pedlars' License By-Law brought up their Report which was read.

Moved by Mr. Murray, seconded by Dr. McKay, and

Resolved—That the Report of the Special Committee to devise some scheme to more thoroughly enforce the Auctioneers', Hawkers,' and Pedlars' License By-Law just read be adopted.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. McMillan, and

Resolved,—That the Council do now go into Committee of the whole on the By-Law to levy County and School rates.

Council moved into Committee of the whole.

Dr. McKay in the chair.

By-Law was read and the blanks filled in, in Committee of the whole.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded Mr. D. R. Ross, and

Resolved,—That the Committee do now rise and report the By-Law as passed in Committee of the whole, with blanks filled in.

Committee rose and reported the By-Law as passed in Committee of the whole with the blanks filled in.

Council resumed and adopted the Report of the Committee of the whole.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. McMillan, and

Resolved,— That the By-Law to levy County and School rates be now read a third time and passed.

By-Law was read a third time and passed, signed, sealed and numbered 392.

Mr. Webster, Chairman of the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment brought up their Third Report, which was read.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. Snyder,

That the Third Report of the Finance and Assessment Committee just read, be adopted.

Moved in amendment by Mr. D. R. Ross, seconded by Mr. Pettit,

That the Council go into Committee of the whole on this Report.

The amendment on being put was carried.

Council moved into Committee of the whole.

Mr. T. Prouse in the chair.

The first five clauses of the Report were read and passed.

The sixth clause was read, when it was

Moved by Mr. D. R. Ross, seconded by Mr. Murray,

That the sixth clause be struck out, and the following be inserted as Clause 6.

That a grant of ten cents per non-commissioned officer and man per day be made for each performing 12 days drill at London Camp, and the amount not to exceed the sum of $403.20. The amount to be payable by the Treasurer on the order of the officer commanding the 22nd Batt., Oxford Rifles.

The resolution on being put was lost.

The sixth clause was then put and carried.

The seventh clause was read when it was

Moved by Mr. Henderson, seconded by Mr. Ferguson, and

Resolved,—That all the words after recommend be struck out, and the following inserted, that the matter be deferred for consideration, till the Dec. Session of the Council.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. Histand, and

Resolved,—That the Committee do now rise and report the Report as passed in Committee of the whole, as amended.

Committee rose and reported the Report as passed in Committee of the whole, as amended.

Council resumed and adopted the Report of the Committee of the whole.

On motion made and seconded, the Council adjourned until 7.30 p. m.

WILLIAM WATTERWORTH,

Warden.

Evening Session.

County Council Chamber,

Woodstock, 7th June, 1895.

Council met pursuant to adjournment.

The Warden in the chair.

All the members were present.

Minutes of previous sessions were read and confirmed.

Mr. Kaufman, Bridge Commissioner, brought up his first report which was read.

Moved by Mr. D. Smith, seconded by Mr. Roth, and

Resolved—That the First Report of the Bridge Commissioner just read be adopted.

Mr. D. R. Ross, Chairman of the Special Committee on roads and bridges, brought up their first report which was read.

Moved by Mr. D. R. Ross, seconded by Mr. Pettit,

That the First Report of the Special Committee on roads and bridges be adopted.

Moved in amendment by Mr. Murray, seconded by Mr. Webster,

That the council go into Committee of the whole on the Report of the Special Committee on roads and bridges.

The amendment was put and carried.

Council moved into Committee of the whole.

Mr. Durkee in the chair.

Report was read in Committee of the whole.

Moved by Mr. Murray, seconded by Mr. Webster,

That all the words after "recommend" in the Report be struck out and the following inserted in lieu thereof,

That they report at the next December session all information on the subject that may be ascertained in the interval.

Moved in amendment by Mr. Snyder, seconded by Mr. Burns,

That the Clerk be instructed to correspond with the several owners of toll roads within the County asking them to state the lowest price at which they can be purchased, and report at the December session of this Council.

The amendment on being put was carried.

Moved by Mr. Watterworth, seconded by Mr. Hicks, and

Resolved—That the Committee do now rise and report the Report of the Special Committee on roads and bridges as amended.

Committee rose and reported the Report as amended.

Council resumed and adopted the Report of the Committee of the whole.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. Cuthbert, and

Resolved—That the mover have leave to introduce a By-Law to authorize the Warden and Treasurer to borrow a sum of money not to exceed $15,000, and that this constitute the first reading.

By-Law was read a first time.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. J. Smith, and

Resolved—That the By-Law to anthorize the Warden and Treasurer to borrow a sum of money not to exceed $15,000, be now read a second time.

By-Law was read a second time.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. J. Smith, and

Resolved that Council do now go into Committee of the whole on the By-Law to authorize the Warden and Treasurer to borrow a sum of money not exceeding $15,000.

Council moved into Committee of the whole.

Mr. D. R. Ross in the chair.

By-Law was read in Committee of the whole.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. McMillan, and

Resolved—That the Committee do now rise and report the By-Law as passed in Committee of the whole

Committee rose and reported the By-Law as passed in Committee of the whole.

Council resumed and adopted the Report of the Committee of the whole.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. J. Smith, and

Resolved—That the By-Law to authorize the Warden and Treasurer to borrow a sum of money not exceeding $15,000 be now read a third time and passed, and that Rule 36 be suspended as far as this By-Law is concerned.

By-Law was read a third time and passed, signed, sealed, and numbered 393.

Mr. Henderson, Chairman of the Standing Committee on Management of House of Refuge, brought up their First Report which was read.

Moved by Mr. Henderson, seconded by Mr. T. Prouse, and

Resolved—That the Council do now go into Committee of the whole on the Report of the Standing Committee on House of Refuge.

Council moved into Committee of the whole.

Mr. Webster in the chair.

Report was read clause by clause.

Moved by Mr. Durkee, seconded by Mr. Hicks, and

Resolved—That the Committee do now rise and report the Report as passed in Committee of the whole, without amendment.

Committee rose and reported the Report as passed in Committee of the whole, without amendment.

Council resumed and adopted the Report of the Committee of of the whole.

Moved by Mr. Murray, seconded by Mr. Bell, and

Resolved—That the Standing Committee on House of Refuge be instructed to ascertain the cost of improvements in hospital baths, &c., recommended by the Special Committee, and report at the December Session.

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. McMillan, and

Resolved—That the House of Refuge Committee be instructed to procure another servant to assist in House of Refuge, while necessary.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Standing Committee on County Buildings and Property, brought up their second report which was read.

Moved by Mr. Knight, seconded by Mr. Histand,

That the Report of the Standing Committee on County Buildings and Property just read be adopted.

Moved in amendment by Mr. Murray, seconded by Mr. Bell,

That the Council go into Committee of the whole on the Report just read.

The amendment on being put was carried.

Council moved into Committee of the whole.

Mr. Snyder in the chair.

The first seven clauses of the Report were read and passed.

The eighth clause was read, when it was

Moved by Mr. Webster, seconded by Mr. Murray, and

Resolved—That clause eight be struck out.

The ninth clause was read and passed.

Moved by Mr. Henderson, seconded by Mr. Durkee, and

Resolved—That the Committee do now rise and and report the Report as passed in Committee of the whole, as amended.

Committee rose and reported the Report as passed in Committee of the whole, as amended.

Council resumed and adopted the report of the Committee of the whole.

Mr. T. Prouse, Chairman of the Special Committe appointed to examine and report on the Embro Bridge, brought up their Report which was read.

Moved by Mr. T. Prouse, seconded by Mr. Henderson, and

Resolved—That the Report just read be adopted.

Moved by Mr. Bell, seconded by Mr. Murray, and

Resolved that the House of Refuge Committee be instructed to have the new buildings for swine, poultry and implements placed near the barn on south side of yard.

Moved by Mr. J. Smith, seconded by Mr. Roth, and

Resolved—That the sum of two thousand dollars be placed to the credit of the Commissioners of roads and bridges to be used as may be required in connection with their duties, and that the Treasurer be authorized to make payments on said Commissioners' orders.

The council adjourned to meet on call of the Warden.

REPORTS.

COUNTY CLERK'S REPORT.

To the Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Oxford:

GENTLEMEN,

I have the honor herewith to transcribe the names of persons to whom Auctioneers' and Pedlers' Licenses have been issued from the first day of January, 1895, to the present date. Also the amount received for the same and paid over to the County Treasurer:

1895.			No.	
Jan. 1	E. W. Town, Innerkip,	Auctioneer	1	$ 20.00
" 3	P. Irving, Woodstock,	"	2	20.00
" 3	Geo. W. Hunt, Woodstock,	"	3	20.00
" 9	J. A. Buchanan, Ingersoll,	"	4	20.00
" 9	J. C. Tisdale, Woodstock,	"	5	20.00
" 10	J. B. Rounds, Drumbo,	"	6	20.00
" 12	Thos. Clark, London East,	"	7	20.00
" 12	Edgar E Sage, Wt. Oxford,	"	8	20.00
" 12	Geo. S. Briggs, W. Oxford,	"	9	20.00
" 16	H. M. Hyam, Toronto,	"	10	20.00
" 17	Thos. McIntee, Toronto,	"	11	20.00
" 18	T. J. Thornton, Woodstock,	"	12	20.00
" 18	David Rudy, Tavistock,	"	13	20.00
" 21	H. D McCarty, Ingersoll,	"	14	20.00
" 21	Alexr. Ames, Galt,	"	15	20.00
" 25	Geo. W. Walley, Ingersoll,	"	16	20.00
" 26	Sam'l Hodgkinson, Embro,	"	17	20.00
Feb. 9	Thos. Logan, Princeton,	"	18	20.00
" 18	T. Scott Davidson, Paris,	"	19	20.00
" 19	D. G. Murray, East Zorra,	"	20	20.00
Apr. 9	J. Corbett, Brownsville,	Pedler, one horse	21	40.00
" 13	James Whiteman, Woodstock,	" "	22	40.00
" 27	Arch. R. Stevenson, Norwich,	" "	23	40.00
May 9	T. C. Wilcox, Delmer,	" "	24	40.00
				$560.00

1895.					
Jan.	2	Paid County Treasurer			$ 20.00
"	3	"	"	"	40.00
"	10	"	"	"	60.00
"	12	"	"	"	60.00
"	16	"	"	"	20.00
"	18	"	"	"	40.00
"	19	"	"	"	20.00
"	21	"	"	"	40.00
"	25	"	"	"	20.00
"	26	"	"	"	20.00
Feb.	9	"	"	"	20.00
"	18	"	"	"	20.00
"	19	"	"	"	20.00
Apr.	9	"	"	"	40.00
"	13	"	"	"	40.00
"	27	"	"	"	40.00
May	9	"	"	"	40.00
					$560.00

Respectfully submitted.

JAMES WHITE,
County Clerk.

County Clerk's Office,
Woodstock, 4th June, 1895.

COUNTY TREASURER'S ANNUAL REPORT.

To the Honorable the Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Oxford :

GENTLEMEN,

I beg to submit the following statement of the estimates and expenditure for the year ending 31st May, 1895.

	ESTIMATES.	EXPENDITURE.
Printing and Stationery account	$ 500 00	$ 545 03
County Buildings (exclusive of House of Refuge) account	1500 00	1192 92
Jurors, account	2100 00	2208 20

Division Court Jurors, account.....	75 00	100 00
Members' Wages and Committees account .	2500 00	1999 95
County Officers' Salaries (exclusive of House of Refuge) account.....	3000 00	2827 10
Miscellaneous account	500 00	190 80
Registry Office account	100 00	216 28
Province of Ontario account	325 00	441 90
Lunatics account.....	100 00	88 85
Coroner's Inquests account.....	50 00	52 40
Gaol account	350 00	167 81
Reward account.....	200 00	100 00
General Sessions and Criminal Justice acc't.	6000 00	5375 44
Special Rs. and Bs. including John Pound Road	3600 00	5381 58
High, Collegiate and Model School account.	3400 00	3424 37
Law account	300 00	73 22
Insurance account.....	100 00	95 45
Interest on Discounts accounts.....	275 00	257 65
Board of Education account.....	25 00	23 25
House of Refuge Expense account	3000 00	3215 00
House of Refuge Capital account.....	No Estimate	450 08
County Rs. and Bs. account.....	3000 00	3000 00
Municipal Clerk's account.....	No Estimate	54 40

Received from other sources:

Auctioneers' and Pedlars' licenses	$ 640 00		
Registry Office Surplus Fees....	955 40		
Fees from Division Courts.....	62 04		
Jurors Account for Records entered for trial.....	55 50		
Interest on Bank account	99 82		
Amount of Wm. Piper's Note, "re" Matthew Stewart, House of Refuge account.....	86 47	1899 23	
Amount of Estimates and Receipts over Expenditure.....			1417 55
		$ 32899 23	$ 32899 23

I beg to state that you require to provide for the following liabilities on this year's estimates, in addition to all other rates.

You will require to raise under By-Law No. 373, $5,413.37 for principal falling due on 30th September, 1895, and $5,991.80 for interest due at the same date.

H. P. BROWN,
Treasurer.

Treasurer's Office,
County of Oxford,
June 3rd, 1895.

COUNTY AUDITORS' REPORT.

WOODSTOCK, FEBRUARY 14TH, 1895.

To the Warden and Members of the Council of the County of Oxford:

GENTLEMEN,

We your County Auditors beg leave to report that we have examined the Statement herewith attached, of the Receipts and Expenditure of the County of Oxford for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1894, and have compared the Statement with the Treasurer's Books, and compared them with the vouchers, and found them correct and satisfactory.

We also find the cash balance to the credit of the County on 31st December, 1894, $7.288.54, which is accounted for by a like balance in the Bank of Commerce at Woodstock.

All of which we respectfully submit.

GEO. J. FRASER,
WM. EWART, } Auditors.

SECOND REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND ASSESSMENT.

To the Warden and Members of the Council of the County of Oxford:

GENTLEMEN,

1st.—Your Committee have carefully considered the probable expenditure for the year, and recommend that the following be adopted as the estimates for the year 1895-96:

Printing and Stationery	$ 500 00
County Buildings and Property, (exclusive of House of House of Refuge.....	1,400 00
Payment of Jurors.....	2,100 00
" " Division Court	90 00
Member's Wages.....	2,000 00
County Officers' Salaries (exclusive of House of Refuge Salaries, ...	2,800 00
Miscellaneous	400 00
Registry Office	200 00
Province of Ontario.....	400 00
Lunatics.....	90 00
Coroners' Inquests.....	50 00
Gaol	200 00
Reward.....	200 00
General Sessions and Criminal Justice.....	5,530 00
Special Roads and Bridges	4,280 00
Collegiate, High and Model Schools	3,500 00
Law.....	120 00
Insurance	320 00
Interest and Discount	200 00
Board of Education	20 00
House of Refuge Expense Account	3,200 00
" " Capital "	400 00
County Roads and Bridges	3,000 00
	$31,000 00

2nd.—Your Committee further recommend that you provide for the following Liabilities in addition to all other rates.

Under By-Law No. 373. $5,413.37 for principal falling due on 30th September, 1895, and $5,991.80 for interest due at same date.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

HOPE WEBSTER,
Chairman.

Committee Rooms,
Woodstock, June 5th, 1895.

THIRD REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND ASSESSMENT.

To the Warden and Members of the Council of the County of Oxford:

GENTLEMEN,

Your Committee on Finance and Assessment, beg leave to report as follows:

1st.—They have considered the following accounts and recommend the payment of the same by the Treasurer.

R. O. Smith & Co.,	$ 42 00
H. P. Brown	5 80
Judge Finkle	20 00
Thos. Shanly	2 30
Ball & Ball	7 00
Sheriff Brady	27 25
James White	12 05
Wm. Carlyle	7 42
Woodstock Gas Light Co.,	88 95
Sheriff Brady	12 00
Great North Western Telegraph Company	79

2nd.—Your Committee have carefully considered the claim of Clifford Kemp, re claim of Mrs. Cromwell for board of Mrs. Camb and child and recommend that the claim be not paid.

3rd.—Your Committee have also had before them a request on behalf of the Prisoners' Aid Association, asking a grant and would recommend that a grant of twenty dollars be made.

4th.—Your Committee have considered the request of the Oxford Teachers' Institute, asking a grant of $25.00, and would recommend that the same be granted.

5th.—Your Committee have carefully considered the petition of Edmund Karn and thirty-three others, asking a grant to be made to repair 11th line, East Zorra, and recommend the petition be not entertained.

6th.—Your Committee have also considered the request of Lt. Col. Munro, asking for a grant to supplement the pay of non-commissioned officers and privates while on drill, and would recommend that no action be taken.

7th.—Your Committee have also had before them Mr. E. L. Sutherland, asking that a refund be made of interest being charged him on the County rate of West Zorra, and would recommend that the matter be deferred till the December session of the Council.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

HOPE WEBSTER,
Chairman.

Committee Rooms,
Woodstock, 7th June, 1895.

SECOND REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON PRINTING.

To the Warden and Members of the Council of the County of Oxford:

GENTLEMEN:

Your committee beg to recommend the payment of the following accounts for advertising :

Patience & Agur	$ 22 95
W. McGuire	3 30
W. T. Buggin	1 50
T. A. Bellamy	1 50
John Law & Co	1 50
Thos. C. Bartholomew	1 50
J. A. Young	1 50
Wm. Stewart	1 50
B. B. Baillie	1 50
V. L. Francis	1 50
U. H. Boden	1 50

With reference to the communication of the Carswell Co., we would recommend that no action be taken.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN BELL,
Chairman.

Committee Rooms,
Woodstock, 6th June, 1895.

SECOND REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON COUNTY BUILDINGS AND PROPERTY.

To the Warden and Members of the Council of the County of Oxford :

GENTLEMEN :

Your committee beg to report as follows :

1st.—They have examined the following accounts and would recommend that they be paid.

Gardner & Co., Hardware...	$ 6 60
White & White, Drugs	4 80
John White & Co., Flannelette	1 00
Leishman & Maundrell, Lumber	5 68
C. T. Mead, Covering Pipes in Court House	4 80
John Pike, Potatoes and Seeds for Gaol Garden...	2 25
James Weir, Soil for Grounds of Court House	2 25
W. C. McLeod, Sundries for Gaol...	24 06
Whiting Bros.	23 34

2nd.—Tenders for the supply of coal were advertised for on the 16th of May last, and in answer to the advertisement tenders were received from five dealers, the prices in each being the same. Your committee would recommend that the tender be awarded to J. O. Stringham & Co. for County Buildings in Woodstock, and to Mitchell & Wright for the House of Refuge. The prices are as follows :

Scranton Coal, Grate	$5 00 per ton	To be delivered at County Buildings.
" Egg, Stove and Nut	5 25 "	

Scranton Coal, Grate.....	$5 25 per ton	To be delivered at House of Refuge.
" Egg, Stove and Nut	5 50 "	

3rd.—With regard to the presentment of the Grand Jury suggesting some changes in relation to the Court Room in order to make the same more comfortable. Your committee would recommend that the glass in the doors leading into the Court Room be frosted ; also that a screen or blind be placed on the glass archway over the south windows in the Court Room, and that the two centre windows at the north end of the Court Room be swung on pivots so as to permit a free circulation of air through the room. Your committee would also recommend that the wooden sills of all the windows in the Court House, be painted with three coats of good paint as they are at present being injured by the action of the weather. Also that springs and air stops be put on the front doors in the Court House.

With regard to the recommendation of the Grand Jury that tramps confined in the gaol be given employment in the way of clearing the paths and walks around the County Buildings, and the sidewalks of the streets in the town adjacent to the County Buildings ; also in breaking stone in the gaol yard. Your committee would concur in this recommendation and would request the gaoler to see that the tramps be employed in the manner suggested, and that the chairman of your committee be instructed to purchase ten cords of stone to be delivered in the gaol yard for this purpose, the material when broken to be sold to the adjoining municipalities for use on their roads.

4th.—Your Committee have examined the sewerage and plumbing in course of construction in connection with the gaol and would recommend that in place of the water being taken from the pipes at the Court House as originally proposed, it be taken from the water main on Buller street through a separate metre to be used for the gaol buildings only; also that ventilating pipes be put in the cells when the hoppers are placed and that the hoppers be furnished with closed wooden seats.

5th.—In regard to the communication from the Registrar asking for changes in the construction of the Registry Office, and a new system of heating appliances. Your Committee cannot at present recommend any change in the construction of the building, but with reference to the heating would recommend that your Chairman be authorized to procure plans with an estimate of the cost of the same for a new system of heating to be submitted to this Council at its December session.

6th.—Mr. James Forbes having asked for a short vacation during the summer, your Committee would recommend that his request be granted; his vacation not to exceed three weeks, and that he be allowed the sum of $20.00 towards the expense of a substitute during his absence from duty.

7th.—Your Committee would recommend that their Chairman be authorized to procure plans and specifications for alterations to the kitchen of the gaoler's residence with a view of raising the same two stories high and putting in bath-room and water closet, and connecting the same with the sewer pipe leading from the gaol. The said plans and specifications to be submitted to the December session of this Council.

8th.—That the Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay upon the order of the Chairman of this Committee the coal, stone and such other material and work ordered by this Report as it is necessary to pay for before the December session of this Council.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

R. W. KNIGHT,
Chairman.

Committee Rooms,
Woodstock, 7th June, 1895.

FIRST REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE ON MANAGEMENT OF HOUSE OF REFUGE.

To the Warden and Members of the Council of the County of Oxford:

GENTLEMEN,

1st.—The number of inmates at present in the House is 52. Quite a number of those who spent the winter there were permitted to leave in the hope that they might earn a living for themselves. With the exception of two, all the inmates are probably of the class for whom such institutions are maintained. One of these is an old man named Dawson, who is in a state of senility, if not insane, and is quite unable to take any care of himself. The mauager and surgeon at the suggestion of your Committee made an attempt to have him committed to an asylum, but did not succeed. The other is an infant, who when two or three weeks old, was committed and brought

to the House by its mother and relatives with the request that the matter be kept quiet, so as not to injure their respectable reputation. We do not think any intention ever existed to run the House of Refuge as a baby farm, and would recommend that in future no such committments be made, or if made, that the manager be instructed not to receive them.

2nd.—Your Committee in accordance with instructions received at the January session, beg to submit estimates for a building which we think contains the further accommodation required on the farm, viz:—room for swine, poultry, implements, and a shed for horses and vehicles; also for screens in corridors, and for an iron stairway, (similar to the fire escapes) on the north side of the hospital. We have also asked for an estimate for plumbing recommended in Report of Special Committee.

3rd—We would recommend that the building be erected at once by the lowest responsible tenderer on a location that the council may agree upon after visiting the farm ; also that the wire screens be put in each corridor of the second storey of the House, and that the stairway be built as suggested, as at present all communication with the hospital for whatever purpose is through the whole of the main building.

4th.—We also recommend the putting in of a commodious refrigerator in the basement of main building, as the supply of meat has to be taken in small quantities during warm weather, and comes much higher than by the quarter.

5th—The tenders for both meat and groceries are lower this year than last ; bread is the same. The hired help at present is a man for 6 mos. at $25.00 per month, boarding himself, and a woman at $8.00 per month, and board. The crops at present on the farm are wheat. 12 acres ; oats, 25 acres ; corn and roots, 13 acres ; and meadow, 20 acres. There is on hand about 150 bush. fall wheat, 400 bush. oats and a large quantity of hay, all of which your committee recommend should be at once disposed of. Considerable tile drain has been put in by the inmates under direction of the manager and the farm is steadily improving in value.

6th.—After due consideration we cannot recommend the adoption of the suggestions of the special committee as to a system of baths, closets, etc., as in time there is little doubt a separate building will be required as an hospital, and can be fitted up as such without interfering with the present building.

7th.—We estimate the following as required for running the institution for the coming year :

Fuel	$ 600 00
Groceries and Bread....	750 00
Butchers' Meat..	500 00
Clothing, Boots and Shoes	250 00
Lighting	200 00
Telephone	50 00
Salaries, Wages and Expenses	1100 00
Total	$3450 00

8th.—The following list of tenders have been received by your Committee, viz. :

Edward Johnson, stone and brickwork, finding mortar, sand, gravel, cement for floors.....	$ 240 00
James Blakestone, stone and brickwork, sand, lime, cement, &c., for same	270 00
J. D. Tindale, carpenter work according to plans	720 00
" whole contract " "	1045 00
J. R. Edwards, " "	730 00
" " with metallic shingles....	770 00
Dennis Wire Works, for iron stairway complete	145 00
" " wire partitions, $30.00 each.....	
James Whitney, estimate of plumbing	135 00

All of which is respectfully submitted.

R. J. HENDERSON,
Chairman.

Dated this 7th day of June, 1895.

REPORT OF MANAGER OF HOUSE OF REFUGE.

Oxford House of Refuge,
June 4th, 1895.

To the Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Oxford :

GENTLEMEN:

I beg to submit the following report in regard to the deaths in the House of Refuge since my last report :

We have had but one death, that of Henry Reddy. He was admitted on Feb. 2nd, 1895. Committed by James Virtue, Reeve of East Oxford. He died March 17th, 1895, of tuberculosis.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

O. J. CLARKE,
Manager H. R.

SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SURGEON OF THE HOUSE OF REFUGE.

To the Warden and Members of the Council of the County of Oxford:

GENTLEMEN,

Permit me to submit the following as my fifth semi-aunual report re House of Refuge :

I am pleased to inform you that no serious epidemic has visited the Refuge since my last report. True, we have had several cases of la grippe, together with many of the ailments common to old age, yet withal, the mortality has been very low considering the ages and condition of inmates when admitted.

Mrs. E. Anderson, aged 76, admitted November 1st, 1894 ; died January 2nd, 1895. Cause of death, pneumonia, preceded with la grippe.

Henry Reddy, aged 47, admitted February 2nd, 1895 ; died March 17th, 1895. Cause of death, tuberculosis. He was in a very low condition when admitted.

John Hurst, aged 56, admitted January 25th, 1895, in a very helpless condition, suffering from inter-capsular fracture of femur and other ailments. Left April 1st, 1895, restored to comparative health.

James Head, aged 47, admitted March 11th, 1895, suffering from fracture of forearm. Left completely recovered May 2nd, 1895.

Emma Blakemore, aged 23, "enciente" when admitted February 23rd, 1895 ; gave birth to a fully matured child April 18th, 1895.

A child 3 weeks old was admitted May 17th, 1895. I would advise great caution in admitting such inmates unless extra provision is made for their care, as they entail a great amount of labor on your matron, &c.

There are now 52 inmates in the Refuge, the majority very aged and feeble.

Every inmate ought to be thankful for the kind provisions made by you for their comfort.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

A. McLAY,
Surgeon House of Refuge.

Woodstock, June 4th, 1895.

FIRST REPORT OF BRIDGE COMMISSIONER.

To the Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Oxford:

GENTLEMEN:

Your Commissioner begs to report the expenditure for building and repairing bridges since the December session, 1894, up to date as follows:

Filling approaches to bridge over Clear Creek between Tilsonburg and Dereham	$ 240 00
Filling approaches to bridge at Fairview between West Zorra and Downie, one-half	16 00
Filling approaches to bridge over Big Creek between East Nissouri and West Zorra	15 75
Right of way through Goring at Tilsonburg.....	15 00
Repairs to old bridge at Lime Kilns, Beachville	1 50
Sand, timber and teaming for bridge at Lime Kilns	7 00
Putting up break water to bridge between East and West Nissourri, one-half.....	6 00
Repairs to bridge at Putown between Blenheim and South Dumfries, one-half.....	9 00
Repairs to two bridges between East and West Zorra	22 50
	$332 75

All of which is respectfully submitted.

LOUIS KAUFMAN,
Commissioner.

Woodstock, 6th June, 1895.

SECOND REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO WHOM WAS REFERRED COMMUNICATIONS NOT REFERRED TO OTHER STANDING COMMITTEES.

To the Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Oxford:

GENTLEMEN,

Your Special Committee on communications beg to report as follows:

1st.—The application of W. E. Butler, of the Township of Dereham, applying for admission as a student to the Agricultural College; would recommend the appointment of said W. E. Butler by this Council.

2nd.—The communication from the Constables of the County your Committee have considered and would beg to recommend as follows:

A.—That the local municipalities are in their judgment the proper parties to furnish handcuffs and batons and they would recommend them to do so to such County Constables as may be appointed within their municipalities, so that the property can be recovered when necessary.

B.—That the request as to backing warrants be granted, and the County Solicitor requested to make such representations in behalf of the Council to the Honorable, the Minister of Justice and the Attorney-General of the Province, as will in his judgment be most likely to secure the desired change in the law.

C.—That 100 copies of Instructions to Constables be purchased by the Clerk, and distributed by him to the Clerks of the several municipalities as nearly as practicable in accordance with the population.

3rd—Respecting a communication from the Ontario Good Roads Association, your Committee would recommend that a Plebiscite be taken at our next municipal elections with regard to abolishing the Statute Labor System as at present constituted.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

M. DURKEE,
Chairman.

Committee Rooms,
Woodstock, 6th June, 1895.

FIRST REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON ROAD AND BRIDGE IMPROVEMENT.

To the Warden and Members of the County Council.

GENTLEMEN,

Your Committee appointed to secure such information as will lead to the improvement of the roads and bridges of this County and ascertain value of the Toll Roads in the County, would recommend that the Clerk be instructed to correspond with the several owners of toll roads within the County asking them to state the lowest price at which they can be purchased and report at the December session of this Council.

D. R. ROSS,
Chairman.

Committee Rooms,
Woodstock, 7th June, 1895.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO EXAMINE AND REPORT ON THE EMBRO BRIDGE.

To the Warden and Members of the County Council.

GENTLEMEN,

In accordance with your instructions your Committee visited the Village of Embro and found an old bridge eighty-seven feet long, in a very bad condition. From the best information we could

obtain, the bridge was reduced to its present length fifteen years ago.

Your Committee cannot recommend that this bridge be put on the list of County bridges.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

THOS. PROUSE,
Chairman.

Committee Rooms,
Woodstock, 7th June, 1895.

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO RECOMMEND SOME SCHEME TO MORE THOROUGHLY ENFORCE THE AUCTIONEERS', HAWKERS' AND PEDLERS' LICENSE BY-LAW.

To the Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Oxford:

GENTLEMEN,

Your Committee beg to report that no action be taken at this session on the matter in question, owing principally to the fact that your Committee are unable to decide on any scheme that fully meets their approval as a proper substitute for the present system. They also feel that as all the local Inspectors have been appointed for the current year, and are acting more or less in their official capacity it would be better to have them continue until the termination of the present year than to introduce any radical change at this juncture.

They however recommend that your Committee decide upon and to have some definite scheme to submit at the next December session of the Council; and also that the local Inspectors be urged in their respective municipalities to more vigorously prosecute any violations of the By-Law.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

WALTER MURRAY,
Chairman.

Committee Rooms,
Woodstock, 7th June, 1895.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE COUNTY INSPECTOR OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

To the Honorable the Warden and Members of the Municipal Corporation of the County of Oxford :

GENTLEMEN,

I beg to submit another annual report on the rural and village schools of this County.

During 1894 there were in operation 107 rural and 2 incorporated village schools—109.

In these schools 130 teachers were employed.

Their aggregate salaries amounted to $49,909.55, the average salary being $383.92.

The highest salary paid was $600.

Including the Village of Norwich in the Township of North Norwich, and Embro in West Zorra, as they are reported to the Education Department, the highest salary paid in each was of 11 municipalities.

In Blenheim.....	$535
" Blandford	500
" Dereham	600
" East Nissouri	475
" North Norwich...	600
" South Norwich...	500
" East Oxford	500
" West Oxford.....	550
" North Oxford....	540
" East Zorra	550
" West Zorra.....	500

61 of these teachers held second class ; 2 Old County Board First ; 67 third class new board certificates.

83 school houses were brick.
5 " " stone.
21 " " frame or concrete.

Their total estimated value, $165,850 ; value of equipment, $17,685.

8,056 pupils attended the schools ; 4,292 boys, 3,764 girls.

The average attendance first half year was 4,491 ; the second, 4,051 ; thus giving to each teacher a daily average for the first half of 35 pupils, the second 31.

The pupils were classified as follows :

In the 5th or highest class, 348 pupils.
" 4th .....1855 "
" 3rd .....1712 "
" 2nd.....1413 "
" 1st .....2728 "

All were taught reading, spelling, writing, drawing, and arithmetic, and they all will be taught as they ascend in the grades, geography, grammar, and composition, hygiene, Canadian history, music, drill and calisthenics, English history, book-keeping, algebra, euclid, agriculture and botany.

1489 visits were made to the schools ; 222 by the inspector ; 229 by the trustees ; 81 by the clergymen ; 957 by others.

For current expenses during the present year a balance on hand is reported of $26,163 61.

The total amount received by trustee boards for school maintenance and new buildings was $96,753, an average per school of $887.64.

The above statistics apply to 1894.

During the current year I have thus far completed my first round of visits, and entered upon the second.

I shall make a summer visit in June to the schools seen in January last. This will relieve the pressure of work in the last half of the year, in which there are but four months for visiting, against six in the first half year.

I feel convinced that the round of visits just finished has afforded me greater satisfaction than any previous circuit of inspection. The schools of the County as a whole were never before in such a

healthy condition as at present. Never were they so intelligently managed or so well taught as they are now.

Several hundred new candidates will during the present month present themselves for the entrance examination ; an increasingly large number for the public school leaving and commercial examinations, and several for the primary, or third class teachers' examination.

A large army of the youth of the County are on the march intellectually, determined to prepare themselves by means of mental culture and increased intelligence for the duties and responsibilities of future citizenship.

Improvement in accommodation is still a feature of school work. Blenheim has erected another two-storey brick building, with several departments, site and building costing $6,000. In 1893 a strong union school section was formed, comprising portions of Blenheim and Burford, with Princeton in the centre.

In Princeton, centrally situated, stands the new building. At the opening of the present year this new structure was occupied, two schools assembling in it. Drumbo and Princeton are now supplied with school edifices that would be a credit to any town or city.

The school itself at Drumbo is not behind in character the house provided for it. It is in every sense an excellent school. The school at Princeton so newly organized has not had time to establish its reputation, but its board and patrons reasonably expect that it too will prove itself a source of intellectual life and light.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. CARLYLE,
I. P. S.

School Inspector's Office,
Woodstock, 3rd June, 1895.

BY-LAWS.

BY-LAW NO. 389.

A By-Law of the municipal Council of the County of Oxford, for appropriating the sum of Three Thousand Dollars, and apportioning the same for the improvement of County Roads and bridges within this County of Oxford.

Whereas it is expedient and necessary to lay out and expend the sum of Three Thousand Dollars on County roads and bridges within the Connty.

1st.—Be it therefore enacted by the municipal Council of the County of Oxford and it is hereby enacted

That the sum of Three Thousand Dollars be appropriated and apportioned to the several municipalities in this County in proportion to the equalized value of each municipality as per schedule annexed.

And be it further enacted that the Reeves and Deputy-Reeves of the several municipalities be, and they are hereby appointed Commissioners for laying out and expending the same.

2nd.—And be it further enacted that the County Treasurer be, and he is hereby authorized to pay the Treasurers' of the several municipalities in this County on their giving a receipt for the same, the amount apportioned to the respective municipalities by this By-Law as shown in the accompanying schedule, and the said money shall be laid out and expended in improving County roads and bridges and paid by the said municipal Treasurers' on the order of the Reeves.

SCHEDULE.

Town of	Woodstock	$ 303 68
"	Ingersoll	153 64
"	Tilsonburg	77 22
Village of	Embro	21 69
"	Norwich	32 29
Township of	Blandford	132 61
"	Blenheim	343 77
"	Dereham	334 20
"	E. Nissouri	249 31
"	N. Norwich	181 62
"	S. Norwich	136 19
"	N. Oxford	108 61
"	E. Oxford	185 78
"	W. Oxford	135 47
"	E. Zorra	308 47
"	W. Zorra	295 45
	Total	$ 3000 00

Read a third time and passed this 6th day of June, 1895.

James White, County Clerk. (L. S.)

WILLIAM WATTERWORTH, Warden.

BY-LAW NO. 390

Of the municipal Council of the County of Oxford, to amend By-Law No. 319 of this County.

That By-Law No. 319 of the County of Oxford, be amended by striking out the first clause thereof and inserting the following in lieu thereof.

That a sum not exceeding Fifty Dollars be paid out of the funds of the County as a reward to any person or persons who shall pursue and apprehend or cause to be pursued and apprehended any person or persons guilty of stealing any horse or mare within the County of Oxford. The amount of said award shall be at the discretion of the Judge before whom the conviction is obtained who is hereby requested to be governed in making his award by the amount of trouble and expense incurred by the person or persons procuring the conviction.

Read a third time and passed this 7th day of June, 1895.

James White, County Clerk. (L. S.) WILLIAM WATTERWORTH, Warden.

BY-LAW NO. 391

Of the municipal Council of the Corporation of the County of Oxford, to amend By-Law No. 386.

Whereas Justus Miller, of the town of Ingersoll, was by By-Law No. 386 appointed to the office of Trustee of the Collegiate Institute, Ingersoll, and has refused to accept the appointment, and it is therefore necessary to appoint another to the position.

Be it therefore enacted by the municipal Council of the Corporation of the County of Oxford, that By-Law No. 386 of this County be amended by striking out the name Justus Miller in the 4th clause thereof, and inserting instead thereof the name Wm. Partlo.

Read a third time and passed this 7th day of June, 1895.

James White, County Clerk. (L. S.) WILLIAM WATTERWORTH, Warden.

BY-LAW NO. 392

Of the municipal Council of the Corporation of the County of Oxford, to assess for County purposes an equivalent of the Legislative School Grant to township municipalities and the debentures and interest maturing this year under By-Law No. 373.

Whereas it is necessary to levy a rate for general County purposes, payment of County officers and incidental expenses connected with the County, and

Whereas it is necessary to levy upon each of the township municipalities an amount equal to the Legislative School Grant in order to entitle the said township municipalities to participate in the said grant, and

Whereas it is necessary to obey the provisions of By-Law No. 373 passed by this County Council and levy a rate for the payment of debentures and interest maturing this year under By-Law No. 373 of this County.

Be it therefore enacted by the municipal Council of the County of Oxford.

1st.—That the sum of Thirty-one Thousand Dollars be levied and collected from the property rated on the assessment rolls of the several townships, towns and incorporated villages in the County for the year one-thousand-eight-hundred and ninety five, and not otherwise exempted from the payment of taxes, for the payment of certain salaries, fees, allowance to County officers, a portion of the expenses for the payment of the administration of criminal justice, allowance to County Councillors, grant for County roads and bridges, and other necessary incidental expenses for the County, and that said sum be provided for by a rate of 1.155/1000 on the dollar on the equalized value of the property on the aforesaid rolls.

2nd.—That the sum of Three Thousand Seven Hundred and Twenty Eight Dollars be levied and collected from the township municipalities as apportioned to each for the payment in part of the salaries of qualified teachers of public schools in order to entitle said township municipalities to their proportion of the Legislative School Grant for the payment of Public School teachers.

3rd —That the sum of Eleven Thousand Four Hundred and Five Dollars and Seventeen Cents be levied and collected from the property rated on the assessment rolls of the several townships, towns and Incorporated villages, in the County for the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety five, and not otherwise exempted from the payment of taxes for the payment of the debentures and interest maturing this year under By-Law No. 373 of the County of Oxford and that said sum be provided for by a rate of .4248/10000 on the dollar on the equalized value of the property on the aforesaid rolls.

4th.—That the aforesaid sums shall be levied, collected and paid over by the treasurers of the several municipalities to the County Treasurer on or before the fourteenth day of December next, as apportioned to the several municipalities according to the schedule hereto annexed, and which schedule shall form part of this By-law.

SCHEDULE.

MUNICIPALITIES.	For general purposes	For teachers salaries	For debentures & interest under by-law 373
Town of Woodstock	3139		1154 52
" Ingersoll	1588		584 10
" Tilsonburg	797		293 57
Village of Embro	223		82 44
" Norwich	333		122 74
Township of Blandford	1370	210	504 22
" Blenheim	3553	573	1306 90
" Dereham	3454	573	1270 52
" E. Nissouri	2576	331	947 80
" N. Norwich	1877	272	690 45
" S. Norwich	1407	308	517 77
" N. Oxford	1122	170	412 90
" E. Oxford	1920	240	706 28
" W. Oxford	1400	248	515 03
" E. Zorra	3188	465	1172 71
" W. Zorra	3053	338	1123 22
Totals	31000	3728	11405 17

Read a third time and passed this 7th day of June, 1895.

WILLIAM WATTERWORTH,
Warden.

James White, [L. S.]
County Clerk.

BY-LAW NO. 393.

Of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the County of Oxford, to authorize the Warden and Treasurer of the County to borrow a sum not exceeding Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

Whereas it is necessary for the County to borrow for general purposes during the present year a sum of money not to exceed Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

Be it therefore enacted by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the County of Oxford that the Warden of the County and the County Treasurer are hereby authorized to obtain by way of loan from the Canadian Bank of Commerce or other chartered bank of the Province, or otherwise, a sum of money not to exceed fifteen thousand dollars, said sum to be drawn by the treasurer upon his own written order in such amounts as may be required for the use of this County from time to time at a rate of interest not to exceed six per cent. per annum, said interest to be paid quarterly.

Read a third time and passed this 7th day of June, 1895.

WILLIAM WATTERWORTH,
Warden.

James White, [L. S.]
County Clerk.

ABSTRACT

—OF—

Township = School = Accounts

As Audited for Year Ending 28th Feb., 1895.

BLANDFORD.

RECEIPTS.

To cash on hand last audit	$ 97 65
" Legislative Grant	213 00
" Municipal Assessment	213 00
	$523 65

PAYMENTS.

By paid on preceding year's account	$ 97 65	
" paid on this year's account	213 00	
" balance on hand	213 00	
		$523 65

BLENHEIM.

RECEIPTS.

To balance on hand last audit....	$327 00	
" Legislative Grant	576 00	
" Municipal Assessment	576 00	
		$1479 00

PAYMENTS.

By paid on preceding year's account	$323 63	
" paid on this year's account	568 23	
" balance on hand	587 14	
		$1479 00

DEREHAM.

RECEIPTS.

To balance on hand last audit....	$ 90 77	
" Legislative Grant	319 00	
" Municipal Assessment	762 00	
		$1171 77

PAYMENTS.

By paid on preceding year's account	$443 00	
" paid on this year's account	305 20	
" balance on hand	423 57	
		$1171 77

EAST NISSOURI.

RECEIPTS.

To balance paid on last audit	$ 131 98	
" Legislative Grant.....	335 00	
" Municipal Assessment	335 00	
		$801 98

PAYMENTS.

By paid on preceding year's account	58 11	
" Paid on this year's account	335 00	
" Balance on hand	408 87	
		$801 98

NORTH NORWICH.

RECEIPTS.

To balance on hand last audit	225 94	
" Legislative Grant	275 00	
" Municipal Assessment	275 00	
		$775 94

PAYMENTS.

By paid on preceding year's account	$ 207 75	
" paid on this year's account	275 00	
" balance on hand	293 19	
		$775 94

SOUTH NORWICH.

RECEIPTS.

To balance on hand last audit.....	17 59	
" Legislative Grant.....	320 00	
" Municipal Assessment	320 00	
		$657 59

PAYMENTS.

By paid on preceding year's account	10 90	
" paid on this year's account	320 00	
" balance on hand	326 69	
		$657 59

NORTH OXFORD.

REPEIPTS.

To balance on hand last audit.....	56 80	
" Legislative Grant.....	173 00	
" Municipal Assessment	173 00	
		$402 80

PAYMENTS.

By paid on the year's account	173 00	
" balance on hand.....	229 80	
		$402 80

EAST OXFORD.

RECEIPTS.

To balance on hand last audit	50 10	
" Legislative Grant.....	242 00	
" Municipal Assessment	242 00	
		$534 10

PAYMENTS.

By paid on preceding year's account	50 04	
" paid on this year's account	242 00	
" balance on hand	242 06	
		$534 10

WEST OXFORD.

RECEIPTS.

To balance on hand last audit.....	72 13	
" Legislative Grant.....	252 00	
" Municipal Assessment	252 00	
		$576 13

PAYMENTS.

By paid on preceding year's account	10 10	
" paid on this year's account	252 00	
" balance on hand	314 03	
		$576 13

EAST ZORRA.

RECEIPTS.

To balance on hand last audit.....	210 19	
" Legislative Grant.....	467 00	
" Municipal Assessment	467 00	
		$1144 19

PAYMENTS.

By paid on preceding year's account	210 19	
" paid on this year's account	454 61	
" balance on hand	479 39	
		$1144 19

WEST ZORRA.

RECEIPTS.

To balance on hand last audit.....	198 01	
" Legislative Grant	327 00	
" Municipal Assessment	327 00	
		$852 01

PAYMENTS

By paid on preceding year's account	189 48	
" paid on this year's account	327 00	
" balance on hand	353 53	
		$852 01

GEO. J. FRAZER, } Auditors.
WM. EWART, }

Audited March 29th, 1895.

NON-RESIDENT LAND TAX ACCOUNT.

Amount collected on account of non-resident land tax between the First day of May, 1894, and the First day of May, 1895, and credited to the following municipalities :

Dereham	$ 17 08
West Zorra	118 04
East Nissouri	11 00
North Oxford	1 19
Blandford	75 35
Blenheim	13 01
East Oxford.....	27 80
Village of Norwich.....	11 51
	$274 98

H. P. BROWN,
Treasurer.

Treasurer's Office, County of Oxford.
June 3rd, 1895.

THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF THE COUNTY OF OXFORD,

In Account with H. P. BROWN, Treasurer.

PRINTING AND STATIONERY ACCOUNT.—Folio 2.

1894.				
Jan'y	2	To cash paid	T. A. Bellamy. ..	1 80
	2	"	A. Pattullo	32 23
	12	"	Wm. Stewart	1 80
	17	"	V. L. Francis	35 52
	26	"	Hart & Riddle....	103 00
	26	"	A. Pattullo.....	6 30
	26	"	V. L. Francis	43 52
April	11	"	A. Pattullo.....	67 23
	17	"	A. Pattullo.....	17 23
June	9	"	R. O. Smith	66 33
	13	"	Carswell & Co., ..	3 00
	13	"	Davis & Henderson	3 00
	13	"	S. Stephenson	18 00
	23	"	Patience & Agur...	1 80
	23	"	T. C. Bartholomew.	1 80
	25	"	John Law & Co...	1 80
	25	"	Wm. Stewart	1 80
	25	"	W. T. Buggins.....	1 80
	25	"	T. A. Bellamy	1 80
July	13	"	A. Pattullo	33 35
	21	"	W. McGuire.....	1 80
	21	"	B. B. Baillie.....	1 80
Aug.	2	"	Hart & Riddell.....	6 20
	30	"	A. Pattullo	73 65
Sept.	15	"	Hart & Riddell....	12 05
	28	"	A. Pattullo	20 34
	28	"	Hart & Riddell ..	1 25
Dec.	10	"	R. O. Smith.....	10 25
	10	"	A. Pattullo	20 90
	10	"	H. Dickenson & Co.	2 50
Dec.	13	"	T. A. Bellamy ...	1 80
	13	"	T. C. Bartholomew.	1 80
	13	"	V. L. Francis....	1 80

Dec. 13	To Cash paid	Chronicle P'tg. Co.,	1 80		
13	"	W. T. Buggins....	1 80		
13	"	John Law & Co. ..	1 80		
22	"	William Stewart ..	1 80		
28	"	B. B. Baillie	1 80		
29	"	J. A. Young.....	1 80		
31	By amount carried to General Acct.		$609	82	$609 82

COUNTY BUILDINGS ACCOUNT.—Folio 24.

1894.				
Jan'y	4	To cash paid James Holmes ...	$ 13	13
	5	" John Pike.....	5	65
	11	" Millman & Nelles	1	00
	11	" Town Treas. Water For Registry Office	1	00
	29	" A. C. Vincent	125	00
Feb'y.	2	" I. B. Withrow....	1	10
	2	" McIntosh& Griffiths	38	05
	5	" A. C. Vincent....	70	00
	5	" John Powell.....	2	00
	28	" Bell Telephone Co.,	12	50
March	7	" TheJas. Hay Co., Ld	2	70
	26	" A. C. Vinceut	110	00
	26	" A. C. Vincent	13	25
	26	" Canadian Wool Co.	72	39
	29	" John Powell.....	2	61
	29	" McIntosh & Griffith	288	63
April	7	" Town Treas. Water for Registry.....	1	00
May	16	" Canadian Office and School FurnitureCo	160	00
June	4	" McIntosh & Griffith	17	55
	4	" James Weir	5	25
	11	" D. McLellan.....	2	50
	11	" J. A. McDonald ..	29	05
	12	" White & White ..	6	85
	12	" Woodstock Gas Co.	103	60
	21	" Clarkson Bros	3	29
	22	" C. C. Wood	2	77
	22	" Gardner & Co....	3	13
	22	" John White & Co..	3	44

July	13	To cash paid Town Treas. Water For Registry.....	2 00		
	13	" Town Treas. Court House	25 95		
Aug.	11	" Bell Telephone Co.	12 50		
	11	" McIntosh & Griffith	376 61		
Oct.	3	" Wm. Taylor	6 00		
	13	" Town Treas. Water for Court House and Registry Office	11 54		
Dec.	12	" Gardner & Co.	11 60		
	12	" John Powell	2 60		
	12	" James Holmes	7 40		
	12	" J. W. Whyte	12 50		
	12	" Woodstock Gas Co.	81 80		
	12	" Millman & Nellis.	2 85		
	15	" Craib & Stewart .	2 25		
	31	" McIntosh & Griffith	12 85		
	31	By amount carried to General acct.	$1,666.19		$1,666.19

JUROR ACCOUNT.—Folio 38.

1894.				
Mar.	21	To cash paid Grand Jurors	$ 152 10	
	21	" Petit "	336 20	
June	14	" Grand "	159 40	
	15	" Petit "	413 10	
Sept.	26	" Grand "	155 60	
	26	" Petit "	416 90	
Dec.	12	" Grand "	116 10	
	12	" Petit "	309 50	
		Cr.		
Dec	21	By cash from James Canfield, Records entered for trial		$ 55 50
	31	By balance carried to General acct.		2003 40
			$2,058.90	$2,058.90

DIVISION COURT JURORS' ACCOUNT.—Folio 46.

1894.

Feb'y.	6	To cash paid F. W. Macqueen ..	$ 11 00	
Mar.	17	" C. K. Curry	10 00	
July	7	" James Stevens	12 00	
Sept.	15	" C. K. Curry	12 00	
Oct.	23	" James Stevens	10 00	
Nov.	5	" F. W. Macqueen ..	10 00	
Dec.	4	" F. W. Macqueen....	10 00	
1894.		Cr.		
Jan.	8	By return of fees, C. K. Curry....		$ 1 80
	8	" James Stevens..		15 04
	8	" James Munro ..		2 84
	8	" James Barr....		5 51
	16	" F. W. Macqueen		37 29
	16	" J. C. Ross		8 07
Dec.	31	By amount carried to General acct.		4 45
			$75.00	$75.00

MEMBERS' WAGES ACCOUNT.—Folio 58.

1894.

Jan.	18	To cash paid committee to prepare schedule of bridges in Tw'p. Blenheim, 1894.....	$ 39 00
	18	To cash paid W. Nancekivell, 1 day new Court House	4 30
	26	To cash paid Wm. Carlyle, services, &c.,.....	3 30
	26	To cash paid Robert Cuthbert, services, &c.,.....	4 00
	27	To cash paid Members of the council, January sessions	704 30
Mar.	26	To cash paid Court House Committee	19 50
April	16	To cash paid Delegates to Toronto re Debenture account and attending meeting of Debenture Committee.....	56 80
	27	To cash paid Debenture Committee	9 80

June	7	To cash paid Members of Council June sessions	371 30	
	7	To cash paid W. A Dowler, expenses, Toronto, re Debentures..	19 85	
Dec.	4	To cash paid M. Durkee, services, &c., ...	6 20	
	4	To cash paid E. H. Sugden	14 90	
	4	" Hope Webster	43 40	
	4	" Duncan Smith	7 80	
	5	" S. C. Tuttle	3 30	
	5	" Francis Badden....	3 70	
	5	" W. J. Wilkins	18 00	
	5	" Robert Leake	11 00	
	5	" John Baxter.....	6 00	
	6	" Wm. Carlyle.....	11 70	
	7	" Columbus Ross....	32 00	
	7	" John Cuthbert ...	14 40	
	7	" Walter Murray.....	11 00	
	7	" Wm. Nancekivell..	8 60	
	7	" Members of Council December sessions..	478 30	
	7	" W. A. Dowler, Warden Indemnity....	30 00	
	7	" John Bell, services, &c.,..	7 20	
	7	" R. J. Henderson..	7 00	
	7	" Committee on County Buildings	7 30	
	7	" Louis Kaufman bridge Commissioner..	183 30	
	7	" S. J. Cole, services, etc..... ..	6 00	
	7	" Wm. Nancekivell services, etc.,....	9 80	
		etc., ...	9 80	
	21	" Special Committee investigating new House of Refuge.	123 90	
	31	By amount carried to General acct	$2,296.95	$2,296.95

COUNTY OFFICERS' SALARIES ACCOUNT.—Folio 76.

1894.

Jan. 3, To cash paid J. B Withrow ¼ salary $ 87 50

Jan. 3,	To cash paid	Wm. Carlyle,	"	190 00	
" 9,	"	James White,	"	150 00	
Mar. 10,	"	H. P. Brown,	"	237 50	
" 27,	"	Wm. Ewart, Co. auditor		42 00	
" 27,	"	G. J. Fraser,	"	40 00	
Apr. 5,	"	Wm. Carlyle,	¼ salary	191 25	
" 9,	"	J. B. Withrow,	"	100 00	
" 9,	"	James White,	"	150 00	
June 11,	"	H. P. Brown,	"	237 50	
July 14,	"	J. B. Withrow,	"	100 00	
" 14,	"	James White,	"	150 00	
" 14,	"	Wm. Carlyle,	"	192 50	
Sept. 10,	"	H. P. Brown,	"	237 50	
Oct. 2,	"	Wm. Carlyle,	"	196 25	
" 3,	"	J. B. Withrow,	"	100 00	
" 11,	"	James White,	"	150 00	
Dec. 10,	"	H. P. Brown,	"	237 50	
Dec. 31,	By amt. carried to General Account			$2789 50	$2789 50

MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT.—Folio 92.

1894.				
Jan. 15,	To cash paid	C. P. R. Telegraph Co.	$	15
" 27,	"	Wm. Carlyle, postage..	13	75
" 27,	"	Jas. White, " ..	4	85
Feb. 2,	"	A. M. Roseborough, Prisoners' Aid Ass'n ..	10	00
" 2,	"	James Hoore	1	00
Apr. 11,	"	Treasurer Woodstock, refund portion P. S. Inspector's salary, 1892-3	153	54
" 30,	"	Jas. Anderson, treas. N. R. Farmers' Institute .	25	00
June 8,	"	H. P. Brown.....	12	00
" 8,	"	J. B. Withrow	1	00
" 12,	"	Jas. White, expenses Toronto re debentures	6	00
" 12,	"	Jas. White, postage...	14	30
" 20,	"	D. A. Griffin, sec. O. T. Institute	25	00
" 26,	"	R. M. Williams	5	00
" 26,	"	Bell Telephone Co		80
July 21,	"	Jas. McNalley, refund over charges re C. P. R.	5	75

Dec.	8,	To cash paid	Wm. Carlyle, postage .	13 13	
"	8,	"	H. P. Brown, " .	3 08	
"	10,	"	Jas. White	10 10	
"	10,	"	G. N. W. Telegraph Co.	4 98	
"	26,	"	M. S. Schell, treas.S.R. Farmers' Institute....	25 00	
Dec.	31,	By amt. carried to General account.		$334 43	$334 43

REGISTRY OFFICE ACCOUNT.—Folio 108.

1894.					
Mar.	9,	To cash paid	Jas. Bain & Son.....	$ 52 00	
"	15,	"	Craib & Stewart.....	9 00	
May	10,	"	John Powell.....	72	
June	8,	"	Craib & Stewart.....	1 75	
"	13,	"	C. Rogers & Co	10 00	
Aug.	18,	"	John Marson	1 28	
"	24,	"	S. Stephenson.....	199 00	
Dec.	15,	"	Craib & Stewart.....	1 50	
"	31,	To amt. carried to General account .		609 85	
		CR.			
Jan.	15,	By surplus fees for 1893, per Regist'r			$853 10
				$853 10	$853 10

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO ACCOUNT.—Folio 114.

1894.					
Jan.	6,	To cash paid	Treas. Victoria School .	$ 20 00	
Feb.	14,	"	" Removing lunatics	40 46	
Apr.	7,	"	" Victoria School ..	52 00	
May	12,	"	" Removing prison'rs	41 25	
July	7,	"	" Victoria School...	73 40	
Oct.	10,	"	" Victoria School...	90 84	
Nov.	14,	"	Pro. Treas. per E. J...	67 44	
Dec.	31,	By amt. carried to General account .		$417 39	$417 39

LUNATIC ACCOUNT.—Folio 120.

1894.					
Jan.	8,	To cash paid	Alex. Finkle.....	$ 16 00	
Feb.	9,	"	A. McKay	2 00	
June	8,	"	Jas. Brady	12 00	
Dec.	8,	"	Jas. Brady	28 00	
"	15,	"	A. McKay	8 00	
"	16,	"	Treas. Blenheim.....	16 00	
Dec.	31,	By amt. carried to General account.		$82 00	$82 00

CORONER'S INQUESTS ACCOUNT.—Folio 124.

1894.					
July	30,	To cash paid	M. F. Lucas, assisting at post mortem held on body of J.W.McDonald	$10 00	
"	30,	"	J. Arthur Williams, holding post mortem on J. W. McDonald	10 00	
Sept.	27,	"	E.Bromley, holding post mortem on body of Mrs. Bristow	10 00	
Dec.	22,	"	A. B. Welford, holding post mortem on body of Edward Hagan, without attending to give evidence	5 00	
Dec.	31,	By amt. carried to General account .		$35 00	$35 00

GAOL ACCOUNT.—Folio 130.

1894.					
Jan.	6,	To cash paid	Mrs. Cleaver	$ 1 00	
"	10,	"	"	1 00	
"	16,	"	"	1 00	
"	30,	"	"	2 00	
Feb.	3,	"	W. C. McLeod, Jr....	5 61	
"	3,	"	J. & J. Maycock.....	3 60	
"	3,	"	J. E. Dickert	7 50	

Feb. 3,	To cash paid	Mrs. Cleaver.....	1 00	
" 3,	"	Whitney Bros.....	4 79	
" 14,	"	Mrs. Cleaver.....	1 00	
" 20,	"	"	1 00	
" 27,	"	"	1 00	
Mar. 6,	"	"	1 00	
" 6,	"	"	1 00	
" 21,	"	"	1 00	
" 27,	"	"	1 00	
Apr. 17,	"	"	1 00	
" 24,	"	"	1 00	
May 8,	"	"	1 00	
" 15,	"	"	2 00	
" 22,	"	"	1 00	
" 29,	"	"	1 00	
June 4,	"	"	1 00	
" 4,	"	Gardner & Rose.....	4 95	
" 11,	"	Whitney Bros.....	32 42	
" 11,	"	Mrs. Cleaver.....	1 00	
" 25,	"	George Grant.	1 00	
" 25,	"	Mrs. Cleaver.....	2 00	
July 23,	"	Geo. Grant.....	2 00	
" 28,	"	Mrs. Cleaver.....	2 00	
Aug. 2,	"	George Fraser.....	2 50	
" 6,	"	Mrs. Cleaver.....	1 00	
" 22,	"	"	1 00	
Oct. 27,	"	"	1 00	
Nov. 1,	"	"	1 00	
" 2,	"	Alex. McLeod.....	88	
" 2,	"	J. E. Dickert	22 50	
" 3,	"	C. E. Rapson	12 75	
" 28,	"	Mrs. Cleaver.....	1 00	
Dec. 8,	"	Gardner & Rose.....	4 00	
" 10,	"	White & White	10 35	
" 10,	"	Mrs. Cleaver.....	1 00	
" 13,	"	Leischman & Maundrell	17 82	
" 13,	"	W. C. McLeod.....	12 04	
" 13,	"	Mrs. Cleaver.....	2 00	
" 24,	"	Johh Pike:	5 60	
Dec. 31,	By amt. carried to General account .		$184 31	$184 31

REWARD ACCOUNT.—Folio 156.

1894.				
Jan'y	30	To cash paid John Hickey, apprehending and convicting Morman Mason for horse stealing ..	$100 00	
April	18	" R. Northgraves, apprehending William Fishlight for horse stealing	100 00	
Dec.	31	By amt. carried to General acct .	$200 00	$200 00

LAW ACCOUNT.—Folio 160.

1894.				
Jan'y	27	To cash paid Ball & Ball.....	$142 15	
June	11	" "	30 22	
Dec.	8	" "	43 00	
			$215 37	$215 37

AUCTIONEERS' AND PEDLARS' LICENSE ACCOUNT.

Folio 171.

1894.			
Jan'y	2	By cash from County Clerk	$ 20 00
	2	" "	20 00
	2	" "	40 00
	3	" "	20 00
	9	" "	20 00
	19	" "	20 00
	19	" "	20 00
	31	" "	20 00
Feb'y	1	" "	40 00
	3	" "	100 00
	3	" "	20 00
	23	" "	20 00

Feb.	26	By cash from County Clerk	20 00	
March	3	" "	20 00	
	3	" "	40 00	
	3	" "	40 00	
	27	" "	20 00	
April	21	" "	20 00	
May	3	" "	20 00	
August	6	" "	40 00	
Sept.	15	" "	20 00	
	22	" "	20 00	
Dec.	31	To amt. carried to General acct..	$620 00	$620 00

ADMINISTRATION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACCOUNT.

Folio 188.

1894.				
Jan'y	3	To cash paid Dr. West	$	7 50
	3	" J. and T. Grant....		2 25
	3	" W. G. MacKay....		29 50
	3	" John Cameron and wife		250 00
	3	" A. T. Rice.....		50 00
	3	" Woodstock Gas Co.		53 60
	3	" James Forbes		125 00
	3	" James Scott.....		39 84
	8	" F. R. Ball.....		120 90
	8	" Jas. Blackburn....		29 15
	8	" Levi Lyons.....		18 00
	8	" J. C. Tisdale.....		46 60
	8	" Jas. Brady.....		288 51
	8	" J. B. Withrow		10 50
	8	" Frank Folden		11 50
	8	" John Lawson		37 97
	8	" John S. Long.....		19 00
	8	" Thos. Midgley.....		18 00
	8	" M. Andrews		10 50
	8	" Angus Fraser		19 60
	15	" John White & Co..		15 24
	15	" Alex. Lockley et al		17 55
	15	" A. McLay.....		8 50
	15	" McIntosh & Griffith		19 00
	15	" M. R. Hooker.....		9 50
	30	" A. Pow et al.....		22 70

Feb'y	10	To cash paid	John Hickey.....	15 00
	14	"	J. B. Rounds.....	21 20
	26	"	Hugh McHugh....	8 50
	27	"	D. Smith.....	7 50
Mar.	14	"	Wm. Parsons.....	156 00
	19	"	R. Northgraves....	10 50
	19	"	R. Northgraves ...	14 50
	19	"	Wm. Walcott	37 00
	21	"	Peter Lind.	36 00
	21	"	Mary Webber.....	7 00
	21	"	Thos. Hearn	26 00
	21	"	Minnie Holson....	3 00
	22	"	Chas. Marshall....	6 00
April	6	"	W. G. MacKay....	15 00
	6	"	Millman & Nellis ..	36 91
	6	"	John Cameron and wife	250 00
	6	"	Jas. Brady.....	627 38
	6	"	F. R. Ball	215 90
	6	"	James Forbes	125 00
	6	"	D. McLellan	2 00
	7	"	H. R. Will.....	41 54
	7	"	Thos. Midgley.....	6 00
	7	"	Levi Lyons	6 00
	7	"	John Miller.....	7 10
	7	"	George Phillips....	3 52
	7	"	Jos. Blackburn....	39 83
	9	"	Woodstock Gas Co.	57 03
	9	"	J. W. Stewart.....	3 90
	9	"	John White & Co..	19 86
	9	"	J. B. Rounds.....	7 60
	9	"	J. C. Tisdale	6 00
	9	"	J. C. Tisdale	1 10
	9	"	A. Pow	10 95
	9	"	Richard Clark	70
	9	"	W. Anderson.....	6 00
	9	"	John L. Long.....	6 50
	9	"	Angus Fraser	6 80
	9	"	W. R. Hooker	8 00
	9	"	F. E. Bradley.....	9 00
	20	"	John Lawson.....	49 75
	20	"	David Rowland....	6 00
	20	"	H. R. Will	25 65
	20	"	Geo. Masson	4 92
June	4	"	McIntosh & Griffiths	14 50
	4	"	S. C. Tuttle	2 80

June	15	To cash paid	Hy. Hart	3 75
	15	"	Oliver Brown	4 60
	15	"	R. Northgraves etal	8 00
	15	"	Warren Curry	5 00
	15	"	John Emigh	5 75
July	7	"	A. T. Rice.....	16 00
	7	"	W. G. Mackay....	13 30
	7	"	John Cameron	200 00
	7	"	Elizabeth Cameron.	50 00
	7	"	James Brady.....	374 12
	7	"	A. T. Rice.....	100 00
	7	"	J. C. Tisdale	49 10
	7	"	James Forbes.....	125 00
	7	"	F. R. Ball	243 20
	7	"	Geo. Phillips.....	2 21
	7	"	Jos. Blackburn.....	23 40
	7	"	A. McLay.....	16 50
	7	"	A. N. Hotson ...	9 90
	7	"	J. C. Tisdale.....	7 50
	10	"	Millman & Nelles..	47 54
	11	"	H. R. Will	44 65
	11	"	John S. Long	8 00
	11	"	Levi Lyons	7 50
	11	"	Angus Fraser	8 30
	11	"	Woodstock Gas Co.,	55 70
	11	"	John Lawson.....	34 25
	11	"	Wm. Watt.....	4 52
	11	"	Thos. Midgley	7 50
	23	"	Wm. Munro	8 50
	31	"	Geo. Buchan.....	2 00
Aug.	10	"	Hy. Adams	3 70
	31	"	McIntosh & Griffith	292 26
Sept.	8	"	J. B. Rounds.....	9 10
	25	"	A. Pow etal	44 00
	26	"	Leslie	10 20
	27	"	W. H. Murray	29 50
	27	"	R. Northgraves....	6 00
Oct.	6	"	Geo. Phillips... ..	3 08
	6	"	James Brady.....	289 60
	6	"	J. C. Tisdale	4 50
	6	"	J. C. Tisdale	6 00
	6	"	J. B. Rounds	7 60
	6	"	F. R. Ball	50 00
	6	"	Millman & Nelles..	22 80
	6	"	Angus Fraser ...	6 80
	6	"	A. Mapes	12 70

October	6	To cash paid Mat Dillon et al ..	25 00	
		" A. Pow et al	7 50	
	6	" A. Pow et al.....	18 95	
	6	" W. Anderson.....	6 00	
	6	" W. G. Mackay....	12 80	
	6	" H. R. Will	14 10	
	10	" Thos. Midgley	6 00	
	10	" James Forbes	125 00	
	10	" John Cameron and wife.....	250 00	
	12	" Sheriff Co Perth ..	2 09	
	12	" Levi Lyons...	6 00	
	12	" A. T. Rice.....	50 00	
	12	" John S. Long	6 50	
	12	" Jos. Blackburn....	14 91	
	27	" M. M. Fleming....	5 50	
	29	" Woodstock Gas Co	33 70	
Nov.	5	" Jas. Baker.....	7 00	
	14	" John White & Co..	12 38	
	23	" John Lawson.....	18 60	
	26	" J. & T. Grant.....	12 03	
Dec.	8	" John A. Forbes....	3 00	
	13	" R. Northgraves ...	29 75	
	31	" McIntosh & Griffiths	17 80	
	31	Balance	2350 80	

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1893.				
Dec.	31	By Balance		$1972 31
1894.				
Mar.	15	Refund per Mr. Ball, County Attorney, Witness Fees re Colin Moore, paid Dft. by order of the Court		$ 17 55
April	12	By Provincial Treasurer's cheque		925 40
	12	" Amt charged Quarter Sessions		1219 13
June	8	" Provincial Treasurer's cheque		1172 00
	8	" Amt charged Quarter Sessions		614 34
Sept.	7	" Provincial Treasurer's cheque		1033 54
	7	" Amt charged Quarter Sessions		492 37
Dec.	13	" Provincial Treasurer's cheque		680 45
	13	" Amt charged Quarter Sessions		443 80
			$8,570.89	$8,570.89

1894.

Dec.	31	By Balance		$2350 80
Jan.	5	To cash paid Wm Nancekivell..	$ 4 30	
	5	" H. P. Brown	3 00	
	5	" John Hall	5 29	
	8	" Alex. Finkle	6 00	
	8	" F. R. Ball	279 92	
	8	" J. C. Tisdale ...	5 75	
	8	" Jas. Brady	103 11	
	9	" N. R. Butcher....	32 50	
	9	" H. R. Will	188 50	
	9	" Copp Clark & Co..	8 50	
	9	" A. Pow	9 80	
	9	" R. Northgraves ..	212 35	
	9	" B. Cable	2 90	
	9	" Jas. Sherlock	1 00	
	9	" R. O. Smith	1 25	
	29	" Jas. Brady	12 00	
	29	" J. J. Hall.	2 00	
	29	" H. P. Brown	2 00	
Feb'y.	27	" Alfred Searles....	3 50	
April	3	" John R. Stewart..	1 50	
	5	" Wm. Nancekivell.	4 30	
	5	" H. P. Brown	3 00	
	5	" Jas. Brady	81 56	
	5	" F. R. Ball	64 67	
	5	" Alex. Finkle	6 00	
	5	" A. Pattullo	25 00	
	5	" B. Cable	15 35	
	5	" R. Northgraves ..	133 76	
	5	" Jas. Sherlock	1 95	
	5	" H. R. Will.....	213 25	
	5	" Geo. C. McKay ...	19 15	
	9	" J. C. Tisdale	2 00	
	9	" A. Pow	16 70	
	9	" Richard Clark....	18 25	
	9	" M. R. Hooker....	1 50	
	12	Amt charged Quarter Sessions ..	1219 13	
	23	To cash paid John White.....	3 00	
	23	" H. P. Brown	3 00	
	24	" John Stewart	2 00	
	24	" J. F. Wilson	4 55	
June	8	Amt charged Quarter Sessions ..	614 35	
	22	To cash paid N. R. Butcher	32 50	

July	7	To cash paid Alex Finkle.....	6 00	
	7	" H. P. Brown	3 00	
	7	" Jas. Brady	98 07	
	7	" J. C. Tisdale	7 25	
	7	" G. C. McKay	14 65	
	7	" F. R. Ball	82 93	
	11	" H. R. Hill	136 99	
	11	" John Dent	4 80	
	21	" M. R. Hooker....	3 70	
	23	" T. H. Parker	2 00	
	23	" H. P. Brown	2 00	
Aug.	27	" B. Cable	4 90	
Sept.	7	Amount charged Quarter Sessions	492 37	
	15	To cash paid W. A. Dowler	4 00	
	15	" Jas. Brady	4 00	
	15	" Alex. Finkle	4 00	
	15	" F. R. Ball	4 00	
	15	" H. P. Brown	4 00	
Oct.	6	" Jas. Brady	82 47	
	6	" F. R. Ball.....	156 30	
	6	" H. R. Will.....	46 50	
	6	" D. Allenby	6 50	
	6	" Alex. Finkle	6 00	
Oct.	12	" T. H. Parker	3 00	
	12	" A. Pattullo	20 00	
	12	" R. Northgraves .	75 75	
	12	" A. Mapes	6 30	
	12	" Ed. Tallent	7 15	
	13	" John White.....	3 00	
	13	" Copp, Clarke & Co.	8 50	
	27	" M. R. Hooker....	2 80	
Nov.	5	" J. R. Stewart	3 00	
	29	" Wm. Nancekivell.	4 30	
Dec.	13	Amount charged Quarter Sessions	443 80	
	13	To cash paid M. F. Johnson.....	23 85	
	20	" Alex. Finkle	16 00	
		Jas. Brady	16 00	
	20	" F. R. Ball	16 00	
	20	" H. P. Brown....	16 00	
	29	" Ella Smith	7 00	
	31	By amount carried to General acct.	$5,219.01	$5,219.01

SPECIAL ROADS' AND BRIDGES' ACCOUNT.—Folio 312.

1894.

Jan'y	3	To cash paid John Bright, part payment on stone approaches to bridge on line between E. Zorra and Blandford...	$ 35 00
	24	To cash paid John Prouse, money disbursed for repairs, Choate's bridge, River Thames.....	13 27
Feb'y	10	To cash paid Adam Matheson, repg. bridge Cowing Crossing	3 00
	17	To cash paid D. W. McKay, money disbursed by him for repairs to bridge between E. Zorra and Wilmot, ½ cost....	8 19
Mar.	3	To cash paid George Thomson, building bridge between Blenheim and Wilmot	17 00
June	7	To cash paid Philip McArthur, repairing bridge between Nissouri and W. Zorra	4 50
	7	To cash paid Chas Buck, material and work for temporary bridge Clear Creek, between Tilsonburg and Dereham.....	52 90
	7	To cash paid McIlwrath & Clynick repairing 11th line bridge....	26 94
	11	To cash paid Adam Matheson, balance for filling approaches and stone bridge on new road	37 50
July	14	To cash paid James Duval, ½ cost repairing approaches to bridge between Perth and W. Zorra	16 00
	14	To cash paid Robt. Leak, ½ cost repairing bridge Kenny Creek, E. Oxford and Burford.....	13 64
	14	To cash paid J. R. Kyte, excavating embankments at Clear Creek bridge	47 55
	14	To cash paid Mike Fitzgerald, fixing road to temporary bridge over Clear Creek.....	3 50
	23	To S.J. Cole, repairing approaches to 11th line bridge.....	21 45

July	28	To Hope Webster, repairing the bridge between E. Nissouri and W. Zorra.....	5 00
August	3	To cash paid W. J. Wilkins, excavating embankment for abutments for bridge over Clear Creek, Tilsonburg	25 00
	4	To cash paid James Davidson, repairing bridge, East Zorra and Brantford	8 00
	11	To cash paid Geo. Young, ½ cost repg. bridge, Blenheim and Dumfries	150 00
	18	To cash paid John Bright, teaming materials for the Cowing bridge.....	1 00
	18	To cash paid John Forman, building bridge between Blenheim & Blandford	31 70
	18	To cash paid James Isbister, repairing River Thames bridge near Innerkip.....	3 00
	18	To cash paid Clarkson Bros., Cedar Creek bridge between Woodstock & East Oxford ..	6 37
	21	To cash paid Thos. Callan, repairing abutments to 11th & 13th line bridges....	21 50
	25	To cash paid Mitchell Robson, ½ cost of material for repairing Slabtown & Greenfield's bridge between Blenheim & Dumfries	63 25
	25	To cash paid Andrew Dillon, ½ cost repairing bridge between Blandford & Wilmot.....	9 62
Sept.	7	To cash paid B. Bear & Co., building bridge over Spitler Creek between N. & S. Norwich....	334 00
	7	To cash paid William Malcombe, for building bridge between Blandford & East Zorra	275 00
	7	To cash paid E. L. DeCue on account, building bridge over Clear Creek between Dereham & Tilsonburg	350 00

Sept.	29	To cash paid J.W. Thomas, filling approaches to Spitler Creek between N. & S. Norwich....	11 50
Oct.	3	To cash paid B. & E. Widerhold, ½ cost repg. Hobton & Greenfield's bridges	50 00
	5	To Jas. Edwards, filling approaches and guard railway to Cowing bridge between Blandford & E. Zorra.....	34 00
	10	To cash paid E. L. DeCue, estimate on abutments over Clear Creek, Tilsonburg.....	500 00
	10	To cash paid Thos. Callan, repairing abutments at Beachville near lime kiln.....	70 00
	15	To E. L. DeCue, on contract for abutment at Clear Creek between Tilsonburg & Dereham.	520 00
	27	To cash paid Josephua Conn et al ½ cost repairing abutments to bridge between E. & W. Zorra	40 00
	27	To cash paid Josephua Conn et al ½ cost bridge between East Nissouri & Blanchard.....	20 00
	27	To ditto, ½ cost gravel at bridge between E. & W. Nissouri...	7 95
	27	To cash paid James Davis, ½ cost grading approaches to bridge between E. & W. Nissouri ..	5 63
	27	To cash paid Thos. Henderson, ½ cost filling approaches to bridge between E. Nissouri & Blanchard	5 00
	31	To cash paid B. Beard & Co., building bridge over Big Creek between W. Zorra & E Nissouri	301 00
	31	To ditto, ½ cost building bridge, townline between Oxford and Perth	137 50
Nov.	8	To cash paid Mat Dennis, building bridge between E. and W. Zorra	30 00
	17	To cash paid John Bright, repairing approaches Cowing bridge, and gravelling same	28 00

Nov.	29	To cash paid Edward Shrubsole, repairing abutments over Big Creek between W. Zorra and E. Nissouri.....	70 00
Dec.	1	To cash paid the Peterborough Bridge Co. for 2 steel bridges one west of Beachville and one between Tilsonburg and Dereham	790 00
	1	To cash paid John Kaufman, plank for bridge west of Beachville	43 70
	4	To cash paid Hugh McKay et al, ½ cost putting up railings and widening approaches at bridge opposite lot 33, between E. & W.Zorra.	6 00
	4	To cash paid James Armstrong, ½ cost of plank and repairing bridges opposite lots 19, 31 & 33, between E. & W. Nissouri	31 44
	4	To cash paid James Davis, ½ cost repairing breakwater opposite lot 19, between E. & W. Nissouri	5 25
	4	To cash paid John Newman, ½ cost railing and widening approaches opposite lot 31, between E. & W. Nissouri.....	5 00
	4	To cash paid James Anderson, ½ cost hauling gravel and widening approaches lot 31, E.& W. Nissouri	2 00
	4	To cash paid S. Smiley, repairing bridge between N. & S. Norwich	16 70
	4	To Alex. McFarlane, disbursements for bridge between N. & S. Norwich.....	3 00
	4	To cash paid treasurer N. Norwich, disbursements on bridge between N. & S. Norwich ...	33 95
	4	To cash paid Thos. Pearce, covering bridge between N. and S. Norwich.....	5 00

Dec.	4	To cash paid Wm. Elgie, ½ cost superintending masonry of abutments between E. & W. Nissouri	5 50
	6	To cash paid John Prouse, repairs to bridge between N. & S. Oxford	2 17
	6	To cash paid McIntosh & Griffith cement for abuttments over river Thames bridge at the lime kiln crossing	27 25
	6	To cash paid treasurer E. Oxford disbursements for bridge between E. Oxford & N. Norwich	12 50
	6	To cash paid E. L. Sutherland, disbursements for bridge between Embro & W. Zorra....	1 00
	8	To cash paid Wm. Leslie, making bye-road over Big Creek between W. Zorra & E. Nissouri	3 00
	8	To cash paid Michael Fitzgerald, first payment on contract for filling abutments Clear Creek bridge	163 00
	8	To ditto, payment of above contract	29 00
	8	To cash paid treasurer Blandford disbursements on 13th line bridge and on boundary line between Blandford & Blenheim	10 32
	11	To cash paid E. L. DeCue, balance on contract abutments for bridge over Clear Creek between Dereham & Tilsonburg	345 00
	11	To cash paid treasurer E. Oxford disbursements approaches at 13th line bridge between East Zorra and Blandford	15 55
	22	To cash paid Hugh McMillan, filling approaches to bridge over Big Creek between W. Zorra and East Nissouri	15 75
	22	To cash paid Charles Bell, ½ cost filling approaches to bridge between W. Zorra & Downey.	16 00

Dec.	22	To Thos. Downing, filling approaches to bridge over river Thames, lime kiln.....	18 50	
Dec.	31	By amt. carried to General acct.	$5021 04	$5021 04

COUNTY ASSESSMENT ACCOUNT.—Folio 328.

1894.				
Aug.	6	To assessment for County purposes, including Roads and Bridges for 1894	$31000 00	
		To ditto, principal & interest....	11405 17	
		To ditto, public schools for 1894.	3499 00	
		CR.		
Aug.	6	By Township Treasurer's account assessment for County purposes, including Roads and Bridges for 1894		$31000 00
		By ditto, principal and interest, under by-law No. 373		11405 17
		By ditto, public schools for 1894		3499 00
			$45904 17	$45904 17

APPROPRIATIONS FOR COUNTY ROADS AND BRIDGES ACCOUNT.—Folio 402.

1894.			
Aug.	6	To appropriations for County Roads and Bridges for 1894	$3000 00
		CR.	
Aug.	6	By appropriations for County Roads and Bridges for 1894, viz:	
		Town of Woodstock.....	300 00
		Town of Ingersoll.....	152 78
		Town of Tilsonburg	76 58
		Village of Embro	21 56
		Village of Norwich	32 44

Township of Blandford		132 52
" Blenheim.....		351 10
" Dereham		333 83
" East Nissouri		249 06
" North Norwich		181 42
" South Norwich		135 46
" North Oxford.....		108 49
" East Oxford.....		186 41
" West Oxford		135 49
" East Zorra		308 18
" West Zorra.....		294 68
	$3,000.00	$3,000,00

LEGISLATIVE SCHOOL GRANT.—Folio 414.

1894.

July	7	Blandford Legislative Grant School Fund.....	$ 213 00	
		Blenheim	576 00	
		Dereham	319 00	
		E. Nissouri	335 00	
		N. Norwich.....	275 00	
		S. Norwich	320 00	
		N. Oxford	173 00	
		E. Oxford	242 00	
		W. Oxford	252 00	
		E. Zorra	467 00	
		W. Zorra..... ..	327 00	

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July	7	By cash from Provincial Treasurer		$ 3499 00
			$3499 00	$3499 00

MODEL SCHOOL.—Folio 486.

1894.

April	18	To cash paid Treasurer Woodstock for 1893	$ 150 00

Dec.	22	To cash paid James Vance, Treasurer Ingersoll Board of Educ'n	150 00	
Dec.	31	By amount carried to General acct	$300 00	$300 00

INSURANCE ACCOUNT.—Folio 490.

1894.				
Oct.	15	To cash paid Mutual Fire Insurance Co., for policies Nos. 1696 and 2071.....	$ 2 95	
		Cr.		
Dec.	31	By amount carried to General account	$	2 95
			$295 00	$295 00

DISCOUNT AND INTEREST ACCOUNT.—Folio 496.

1894.				
Jan'y	6	To cash paid note at Bank of Commerce	$40000 00	
Feb'y	3	To cash, interest bank on overdue debentures and coupons.....	2242 35	
May	8	To cash, Bank of Commerce, interest on overdue debentures and coupons.....	3287 41	
Sept.	10	To cash, discount on $4,000 note at Can'd'n Bank of Commerce	62 10	
Oct.	6	To cash, discount on $11,000 note at Can'd'n Bank of Commerce	139 25	
	15	To cash, discount on $4,500 note at Can'd'n Bank of Commerce	56 30	
Dec.	22	To cash paid note at Can. B. of C.	4000 00	
	24	To cash " "	11,000 00	
		CR.		
June	1	By interest on bank account....		$ 54 65
	30	By interest "		11 98

Sept.	10	By amt. of note disc. at C.B.of C.		4000 00
Oct.	6	By amt. "		11000 00
	15	By amt. "		4500 00
Dec.	11	By interest on bank account....		13 86
	31	By amt. "		19 33
	31	By amt. carried to General acct.		41187 59
			$60787 41	$60787 41

100 FEET BRIDGES AND OVER ACCOUNT.—Folio 504.

1894.				
June	27	To cash paid Treasurer Blenheim portion on Bridges over 100 feet	$ 15 99	
		Cr.		
Dec.	31	By amount carried to General acct		15 99
			$15 99	$15 99

BOARD OF EDUCATION ACCOUNT.—Folio 514.

1894.				
July	10	To cash paid Wm. Carlyle, Norwich Entrance Examination	$ 9 75	
		To cash paid U. Corless, ditto ..	9 00	
		" A. Treffry, ditto ..	4 50	
Dec.	31	By amount carried to General acct	$23 25	$23 25

HOUSE OF REFUGE EXPENSE ACCOUNT.—Folio 558.

1894.			
Jan'y	1	To cash paid A. McLay, ¼ salary	$ 50 00
	1	" J. & T. Grant	9 40
	1	" Snelgrove & Gillam	27 64
	1	" Suitter & Cullen...	13 39
	1	" O. J. Clark, ¼ salary	100 00
	22	" Jas. Anderson, "	25 00

	22	"	Standing Committee meeting, 31 Dec.,'93	57	40
	22	"	Ditto, 18 Jan., 1894	16	80
Feb.	10	"	Mrs. Camb.....	6	00
March	8	"	"	6	00
	8	"	John Hacker.....	10	00
	9	"	Andrew Newton...		68
	19	"	J. W. Burton	1	00
April	2	"	A. McLay	62	50
	2	"	O. J. Clark	100	00
	6	"	Millman & Nellis ..	126	04
	6	"	B. Harper	18	00
	6	"	O. J. Clark, manure	25	00
	6	"	Mrs. Camb.....	6	00
	6	"	J. & T. Grant	8	25
	6	"	R. R. Fulton & Co.	4	73
	6	"	Leischman & Maundrell	21	36
	9	"	Gardener & Co	4	33
	9	"	John White & Co ..	11	82
	9	"	Leischman & Maundrell	7	35
	11	"	Snelgrove & Gillam	55	78
	11	"	Jas. Anderson.....	12	50
	11	"	J. O. Stringham....	68	65
May	3	"	George Kirk	1	60
	3	"	Benj. Harper.....	18	00
	3	"	O. J. Clark..... .	15	75
	3	"	O. J. Clark.....	9	30
	3	"	Mrs. Camb.....	6	00
	5	"	George Kirk	21	93
	8	"	Robert Clark		75
	9	"	R. O. Smith	1	00
June	5	"	Standing Committee	51	60
	5	"	B. Harper.....	25	00
	5	"	Mrs. Camb	6	00
	5	"	Weir Bros.....	2	00
	11	"	A. Meadows	8	00
	29	"	Jas. Hay Co., Ltd..	17	60
July	3	"	A. McLay	62	50
	3	"	Jas. Anderson.....	12	50
	3	"	George Caldbeck....	32	12
	3	"	Millman & Nellis..	99	43
	3	"	B. Harper.....	25	00
	3	"	Mrs. Camb.....	6	00
	3	"	O. J. Clark	100	00

July	3	To cash paid	G. T. Snelgrove ...	70 15
	3	"	Suitter & Cullen...	21 42
August	4	"	O. J. Clark..... ...	22 00
	4	"	B. Harper	25 00
	4	"	Mrs. Camb	6 00
	6	"	Gardener & Co	3 05
	7	"	John Pike.....	11 93
Sept.	7	"	B. Harper	25 00
	7	"	Mrs. Camb.....	6 00
	7	"	Angus McMullen..	10 25
	7	"	Woodstock Lumber Co	4 35
	26	"	J. Wallace.....	8 00
Oct.	3	"	Jas. Anderson.....	12 50
	5	"	B. Harper.....	25 00
	5	"	Mrs. Camb.....	7 50
	5	"	McIntosh & Griffith	412 50
	5	"	A. McLay.....	62 50
	5	"	Millman & Nellis ..	137 43
	5	"	J. B. Hall.....	4 74
	5	"	George Caldbeck...	8 93
	12	"	O. J. Clark	100 00
	12	"	Snelgrove & Gillam	64 46
Nov.	8	"	O. J. Clark	9 00
	8	"	Mrs. Camb	3 00
	10	"	B. Harper	25 00
	10	"	John Pike.....	3 00
Dec.	5	"	Robert Whitelaw..	2 95
	7	"	Standing Committee	27 40
	7	"	S. J. Cole	21 00
	15	"	B. Harper.....	25 00
	15	"	O. J. Clark	10 00
	15	"	Elizabeth Junblett.	16 00
	27	"	O. J. Clark	14 25
	27	"	White & White....	2 37
	27	"	Millman & Nellis..	175 91
	27	"	Geo. Caldbeck . ..	24 41
	27	"	Whitney Bros	24 93
	27	"	Geo. Bowditch	38 23
	27	"	J. & T. Grant.....	36 00
	28	"	Geo. Robinson	78 45
	28	"	Empire Tea Co	5 07
	28	"	Suitter & Cullen...	12 56
	28	"	J. B. McKay	18 91
	28	"	W. A. Karn	4 00
	28	"	J. E. Weir.....	17 00

Dec.	31	To cash paid F. C. Gillam.....	93 08	
	31	" Patrick & Powell ..	21 90	

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Jan'y	25	By cash E.Zorra for maintenance		$ 130 88
Feb'y	6	" Dereham		47 00
	15	" East Oxford		41 00
	15	" East Nissouri		45 16
March	3	" Woodstock.....		110 52
	3	" Embro		2 86
	8	" North Norwich.....		122 64
	19	" Blenheim.....		6 00
April	6	" O. J. Clark, sale of fat stock		105 00
July	31	" S. Norwich, maintenance		108 46
Sept.	7	" P. Hill, for board··		18 75
Oct.	15	" Ingersoll,for maintenance		16 86
Dec.	31	By amt. carried to General acct .		2380 70
			$3135 83	$3135 83

HOUSE OF REFUGE CAPITAL ACCOUNT.—Folio 584.

1893.

Dec.	31	To balance from Ledger "B" folio 691	$30,368 75

1894.

Jan'y	25	To cash paid Leishman & Maundrell	14 12	
	25	" H. P. Brown for sleigh	15 00	
May	9	" Jas. Clark, bal. grading	28 70	
	9	" James A. Close, ...	76 80	
	9	" W. M. Davis..... ..	12 08	
	9	" Edwin Hersee	22 32	
July	5	" Jos. Codville.....	50 20	
	5	" J. W. Scarff	18 00	
	5	" S. Siggins	70 00	
	14	" Jas. Gould.....	75 00	
Aug.	6	" James A. Close.....	74 16	
Sept.	6	" Thos. Brabym	26 25	
	6	" Patrick & Powell .. .	40 07	

Oct.	6	"	G. & W. Virtue	23 25
Nov.	8	"	J. W. Scarff	21 00
Dec.	31	Balance carried to General account		3,254 25

Cr.

1894.				
May	8	By portion of proceeds of sale of Debentures to H. O'Hara & Co...		30190 25
June	8	By amount of Government Grant		4000 00
			$34,190 25	$34,190 25

NEW COURT HOUSE AND HOUSE OF REFUGE SALE OF DEBENTURES TO H. O'HARA & CO.—Folio 596.

1894.				
May	8	To amount refunded Sinking Fund under By-Law No. 259, re temporary loan for Court House and House of Refuge	$144738 71	
Aug.	6	To amount carried to General acct. folio 841	8137 46	

Cr.

1894.				
May	8	By proceeds of sale of $155,000 of Debentures		$150101 00
		By accrued Interest to May 1, 1894, $3,618.09; less amount of dedeposit with tender, $775.00 and Interest 32.92; and cost of Debenture Blanks, 30.00-842.92		2775 17
			$152,876.17	$152.876.17

MUNICIPALITY OF THE COUNTY OF OXFORD.—Folio 598.

1894.				
May	8	To Debentures issued under By-Law No. 373	$155000 00	

Cr.

Aug.	6	By amount of principal raised under By-Law No. 373. See folio 615.....		$5205 17
Dec.	31	Balance		149794 83
			$155,000.00	$155,000.00

1894.			
Dec.	31	To Balance	$149794 83

NEW COURT HOUSE AND HOUSE OF REFUGE INTEREST ACCOUNT, UNDER BY-LAW NO. 373.

1894.				
Oct.	1	To cash paid coupons		$6200 00
1894.				
Aug.	6	To principal raised under By-Law Law No. 373	$ 5205 17	
		To interest	6200 00	

Cr.

Aug.	6	By amount raised under By-Law No. 373. See folio 615.....		$6200 00
			$6200 00	$6200 00

NEW COURT HOUSE AND HOUSE OF REFUGE DEBENTURES ACCOUNT ISSUED UNDER BY-LAW NO. 373.—Folio 160.

1894.				
Oct.	1	To cash paid debentures No. 1....	$5205 17	
Dec.	31	" Balance.....	149794 83	
May		By Debentures issued under By-Law No. 373, payable annually on the 30th September.		$155,000 00
			$155,000.00	$155,000.00
1894.				
Dec.	31	By Balance	$149794 83	

COUNTY MUNICIPALITIES FOR PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST UNDER BY-LAW NO. 373.

1894.

Cr.

Aug.	6	By county municipalities account for principal and interest under By-Law No 373, for		
		Town of	Woodstock	$ 1140 53
		"	Ingersoll	580 78
		"	Tilsonburg	291 14
		Village of	Embro	81 99
		"	Norwich	123 35
		Township of	Blandford	503 81
		"	Blenheim	1334 77
		"	Dereham	1269 13
		"	E. Nissouri	946 86
		"	N. Norwich	689 69
		"	S. Norwich	514 97
		"	N. Oxford	412 47
		"	E. Oxford	708 69
		"	W. Oxford	515 09
		"	E. Zorra	1171 60
		"	W. Zorra	1120 30
			$11405 17	$11405 17

COLLEGIATE AND HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT.—Folio 766.

1894.				
Jan'y	4	To cash paid Tilsonburg High School	$ 449 48	
		To amount received for entrance exams	40 00	
Dec.	18	To cash paid Treas. Woodstock collegiate	2011 75	
	18	To amount received for entrance fees and maintenance	931 25	
	28	To cash paid Treas. Tilsonburg high school	431 72	
	28	To amount received for entrance fees for examinations	40 00	
	31	To balance	1019 90	
1893.				
Dec.	31	By balance from Ledger "B" ...		$ 489 48
1894.				
Aug.	6	By apportionm't to Woodstock,'94		2943 00
		By " Ingersoll		1019 90
		By Tilsonburg High School		471 72
			$4924 10	$4924 10
1894				
Dec.	31	By balance		$1019 90

TOWNS AND TOWNSHIPS, MUNICIPALITIES.

Ledger "B" Folio 55.

1881.				
Jan'y	1	To debentures granted under By-law No. 175 .....$200000 00		
1894.				
May	8	By amt. of sinking fund under By-Law No. 175		$200000 00
			$200000 00	$200000 00

CREDIT VALLEY RAILWAY DEBENTURE ACCOUNT.

Folio 57.

1893.				
Oct.	2	To cash paid Bank of Commerce on debentures	$ 60000 00	
1894.				
May	8	To cash paid debentures	140000 00	
1881.				
Jan'y	1	By debentures granted under By-law No. 175		$200000 00
			$200000 00	$200000 00

CREDIT VALLEY RAILWAY INTEREST AND SINKING FUND.—Ledger "B" folio 79.

1894.				
May	8	To cash paid coupons	$ 3000 00	
1893.				
Dec.	31	By Balance		$3000 00
			$3000 00	$3000 00

PORT DOVER AND LAKE HURON RAILWAY INTEREST ACCOUNT UNDER BY-LAW NO. 177.—Folio 89.

1894.				
Dec.	18	To cash paid Treasurer East Oxford refund over Estimate.....	$ 28 01	
	18	To " Woodstock "	50 04	
1893.				
Dec.	31	By balance		78 05
			$78 05	$78 05

PORT DOVER AND LAKE HURON RAILWAY INTEREST ACCOUNT UNDER BY-LAW NO. 183.—Folio 99.

1894.				
Feb.	7	To cash paid coupons.....	$ 93 00	
	9	" " "	60 00	
Dec.	18	" Treasurer Woodstock refund over estimate	95 30	
	18	" Treasurer N. Norwich refund	55 10	
	18	" " Village of Norwich	9 71	
1893.				
Dec.	31	By Balance		$ 313 11
			$313 11	$313 11

PORT DOVER AND LAKE HURON RAILWAY DEBENTURE ACCOUNT BY-LAW NO. 183.—Ledger "B" Folio 243.

1894.				
Feb.	9	To cash paid debentures 46, 117, 129 to 138	$ 2000 00	
Mar.	5	To cash paid debentures 112 to 115 and 118 to 128.	3100 00	
1893.				
Dec.	31	By balance		$ 5100 00
			$5100 00	$5100 00

COUNTY OF OXFORD BORROWED FROM CREDIT VALLEY RAILWAY SINKING FUND ACCOUNT.—Folio 309.

1894.				
May	8	To amount refunded to C. V. Ry. Sinking · Fund portion of sale out Court House Debentures..	$144738 71	
1893.				
Dec.	31	By Balance		$144738 71
			$144738 71	$144734 71

CREDIT VALLEY RAILWAY SINKING FUND UNDER BY-LAW NO. 259—Folio 577.

1894.				
May	8	To amount of Sinking Fund carried to Towns and Townships, Municipalities account	$200000 00	
		Balance carried to C. V. Ry. Refund Account	2 00	
1893.				
Dec. 31.		By balance.....		$55263 29
1894.				
May	8	By temporary loan for New Court House and House of Refuge Refunded		$144738 71
			$200002 00	$200002 00

NEW COURT HOUSE CAPITAL ACCOUNT.

Ledger "B" Folio 727.

1893.				
Dec.	31	To Balance	$ 114548 46	
		Cr.		
1894.				
May	8	Ry portion of proceeds of sale of Debentures to H. O'Hara & Co		$114548 46
			$114548 46	$114548 46

COUNTY ACCOUNT GENERAL.—Folio 840.

1894.				
August	6	To appropriations for county roads & bridges for 1894	$ 3000 00	
	6	To appropriations for collegiate and high schools for 1894,		
		Woodstock	2943 00	
		Ingersoll	1019 90	
		Tilsonburg	471 72	
Sept.	7	To cash paid municipal clerks	54 40	
Dec.	31	To Printing & Stationery acct	609 82	
		County Buildings acct	1666 19	
		Jurors acct	2003 40	
		Division Court Jurors acct	4 45	
		Members' Wages acct	2296 95	
		County Officers' Salaries acct	2789 50	
		Miscellaneous acct	334 43	
		Province of Ontario acct	417 39	
		Lunatic acct	82 00	
		Coroner's Inquests acct	35 00	
		Gaol acct	184 31	
		Reward acct	200 00	
		Law acct	215 37	
		Quarter Sessions acct	5219 01	
		Special Roads & Bridges acct	5021 04	
		Model School acct	300 00	
		Insurance acct	2 95	

Discount and Interest acct .	41187 59
100 ft. Bridges & over acct	15 99
Board of Education acct....	23 25
House of Ref. Expense acct	2380 70
Balance	13884 57
	$86362 93

CR.

1893.			
Dec. 31	By Balance from Ledger "B" ..		$41643 97
1894.			
Jan'y 4	By amt. per Treas. Tilsonburg entrance examinations		40 00
March 13	By amt. per John Cameron, being money received from Geo. Smith, who was transferred from gaol to House of Refuge.....		42 00
April 23	By amt. per Treas. Blenheim on acct., 100 feet Bridge refund		13 85
August 6	By assessment for County purposes, including Roads and Bridges for 1894, viz. for		
	Town of Woodstock.....	3100 00	
	" Ingersoll	1580 00	
	" Tilsonburg.....	791 00	
	Village of Embro.....	223 00	
	" Norwich..... ...	335 00	
	T'wn'p of Blandford	1369 00	
	" Blenheim.....	3628 00	
	" Dereham	3449 00	
	" E. Nissouri	2574 00	
	" N. Norwich... ..	1875 00	
	" S. Norwich	1400 00	
	" N Oxford.....	1121 00	
	" E. Oxford.....	1926 00	
	" W. Oxford	1400 00	
	" E. Zorra	3184 00	
	" W. Zorra.....	3045 00	
	By balance of new Court House and House of Refuge debentures, sold to H. O'Hara & Co		8137 46

Oct.	15	By amt. from Kaufman per Jas. White for old lumber, &c., of Bridge		10 00
Dec.	13	By amt. from Treas. Tilsonburg for old bridge material		20 00
	18	By amt. of fees for entrance exam. for Woodstock.....		931 25
	28	By amt. of fees for entrance exam. for Tilsonburg		40 00
	31	By Registry Office acct.....		609 85
	31	By Auctioneers' and Pedlars' Licenses		620 00
	31	By House of Ref. Capital acct.		3254 55
			$86362 93	$86362 93
1894. Dec.	31	By Balance.....		$13884 57

ABSTRACT STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF THE COUNTY OF OXFORD FROM 1st DAY OF JANUARY 1894, TO THE 31st DAY OF DECEMBER 1894.

Cash balance from last audit...	$37358	44
Balance County Rates for 1893	22085	00
On acct County Rates for 1894...	29139	30
New Court House and House of Refuge Debentures.....	152876	17
House of Refuge including Government Grant.....	4755	13
Ontario Government	3828	94
Ditto for Public Schools	3529	00
Notes discounted at Bank of Commerce	19500	00
Interest on Bank account	99	82
County Registrar surplus fees..	853	10
Auctioneers' and Pedlars' Licenses	620	00
Non-resident Land Taxes	414	37

Clerk of the County Court for records entered	55 50	
Division Court Jurors Fees	70 55	
County Account General	85 85	
Printing and Stationery account		509 11
County Officers Salaries account		2789 50
Members' Wages account		2295 19
Public Schools		7205 78
Collegiate and High Schools		3904 20
Model Schools		300 00
House of Refuge Expenses acct.		3164 95
" " Capital account		537 93
County and Special Roads and Bridges		7866 50
Admin Crim Justice		6020 09
Quarter Sessions		2179 84
Province of Ontario		417 39
County Buildings		1666 01
Gaol account		184 31
Notes Discounted and Interest		60648 41
C. V. Ry. Debentures		140000 00
Port D. & L. Huron Debentures		5100 00
New Court House and House of Refuge Debentures		5205 17
Interest on Debentures		9353 00
C. V. Ry. Refund to grouped Municipalities		5050 42
Jurors		2055 90
Division Court Jurors		75 00
Reward for horse thieves		200 00
Law account		215 37
Wild Land Sales account		165 87
Redemption account		22 89
Non-resident Taxes		97 78
County account General		54 40
Coroners' Inquest Account		35 00
Lunatic account		82 00
Insurance		2 95
Registry Office		243 25
Miscellaneous		334 42
Cash Balance		7288 54
	$275271 17	$275271 17

DEBIT AND CREDIT BALANCES.

FOLIO			
195	Admin. Crim. Justice		$ 2350 80
346	Dereham Treasurer.....	$ 5037 13	
354	N. Norwich "	2839 69	
358	S. Norwich "	2234 97	
378	W. Zorra "	4492 30	
386	Ingersoll "	2160 78	
431	Dereham Roads and Bridges.....		333 83
471	Ingersoll "		152 78
535	Wild Land Sales, 1893		55 43
591	Public Schools.....		30 00
598	Municipalities of Co. Oxford for debentures...	149794 83	
595	Scott Act Fines acct		1877 94
611	New Court House and House of Refuge debentures		149794 83
767	Collegiate and High Schools		1019 90
779	Blandford Public Schools fund....		213 00
793	Blenheim.....		576 00
797	Dereham		319 00
801	East Nissouri		335 00
805	North Norwich...		275 00
809	South Norwich.....		320 00
813	North Oxford		173 00
817	East Oxford		242 06
829	West Oxford.....		252 00
833	East Zorra.....		467 00
837	West Zorra.....		327 00
840	County Acct. General		13884 57
710	Ledger "B," C. V. Ry. refund acct		470 61
	Wild Land Tax		378 39
	Cash balance.	7288 54	
		$173848 24	$173848 24

STATEMENT OF LIABILITIES AND ASSETS OF THE COUNTY OF OXFORD TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1894.

Municipality of the County of Oxford debentures under By-law No. 373	$149794 83	
Public, Model, Collegiate & High Schools	4533 96	
Refund acct. balance to grouped municipalities.....	470 61	
Non-resident Land Taxes and Sales	433 84	
Dereham & Ingersoll Roads and Bridges.	486 61	
County Officers' Salaries.....	448 75	
Admin. Crim. Justice & Quarter Sessions	2192 78	
Note under discount.....	4500 00	
Balance	202004 30	

ASSETS.

Balance due on County Rates for 1894..		$ 16764 87
New Court House and House of Refuge debenture acct. sold.....		149794 83
Registry Office Surplus Fees		955 40
Division Court Jurors' Fees.....		62 04
Cash balance.....		7288 54
County Buildings and Property		190000 00
	$364865 68	$364865 68

Audited February 14th, 1895.

GEO. J. FRASER,
WM. EWART, } Auditors.

SCHEDULE NUMBER 2.

Showing the amounts to be raised by assessments in the several Municipalities in the County of Oxford, for County and School purposes, for the payment of Debentures and interest maturing this year under By-law No. 373, and also showing apportionment of appropriation for County Roads and Bridges, 1895.

MUNICIPALITIES.	Amount to be raised for County Purposes including appropriation for Co. Roads & Bridges.	Am't to be raised for Pub. Schools	Legislative grant to Pub. Schools	Debentures and interest under by-law No. 373.	Apportionment of Appropriation for Co. roads and bridges.
Town of Woodstock	$ 3139 00	$	$	$ 1154 52	$ 303 68
" Ingersoll	1588 00			584 10	153 64
" Tilsonburg	797 00			293 57	77 22
Village of Embro	223 00			82 44	21 69
" Norwich	333 00			122 74	32 29
Township of Blandford	1370 00	210 00	210 00	504 22	132 61
" Blenheim	3553 00	573 00	573 00	1306 90	343 77
" Dereham	3454 00	573 00	573 00	1270 52	334 20
" E. Nissouri	2576 00	331 00	331 00	947 80	249 31
" N. Norwich	1877 00	272 00	272 00	690 45	181 62
" S. Norwich	1407 00	308 00	308 00	517 77	136 19
" N. Oxford	1122 00	170 00	170 00	412 90	108 61
" E. Oxford	1920 00	240 00	240 00	706 28	185 78
" W. Oxford	1400 00	248 00	248 00	515 03	135 47
" E. Zorra	3188 00	465 00	465 00	1172 71	308 47
" W. Zorra	3053 00	338 00	338 00	1123 22	295 45
Total	$31000 00	$3728 00	$3728 00	$11405 17	3000 00

SCHEDULE NUMBER ONE.

Showing the Number of Persons Assessed, the Average Value per Acre, and the Aggregate Value of Real and Personal Property and Income in the several Municipalities in the County of Oxford for the Year 1894.

MUNICIPALITIES.	Number of Persons Assessed.	Number of resident acres assessed	Assessed value of resident acres assessed.	Number acres of non-resident assessed	Assessed value of non-resident lands	Total acres resident and non-resident assessed.	Total value of resident and non-resident acres assessed	Average value per acre of resident and non-res. lands.	Taxable Income.	Personal Property	Personal Property and Income.	Real and Personal Property and Income.	Number of persons in families of persons assessed.	Number of Cattle	Number of Sheep.	Number of Hogs.	Number of Horses.	Number of Dogs	Number of Bitches.	Acres of wood-land	Acres of swamp, marsh or wood-land.	Acres of orchard or garden	Number of acres under fall wheat.
Township of Blandford	562	29677	1071760	.....	50	29677	1071810	36.11	300	5300	5600	1077410	1698	3835	939	1844	1316	206	8	4237	4240	379	2074
" Blenheim	1471	66808	2276230	.....	.....	66808	2276230	34.07	2450	12300	14750	2290980	4629	8638	2330	3019	2719	513	22	6603	7594	1060	8225
" Dereham	1186	64825	2356515	200	1550	65025	2358065	36.26	1420	10450	11870	2369935	3601	7859	1247	4285	2044	437	16	9505	3885	1007	5501
" E. Nissouri	970	46487	2141935	.....	.....	46487	2141935	46.07	2525	8050	10575	2152510	2675	6736	1224	2610	1769	313	10	5695	1214	857	3309
" N. Norwich	714	33865	1518530	.....	.....	33865	1518530	44.97	500	10150	10650	1529180	2196	4281	1037	3291	1558	226	12	5098	84	1178	230
" S. Norwich	862	35851	954820	1	315	35852	955135	26.36	1290	44625	45915	1001050	2483	3105	1444	2322	1268	234	.....	5688	3669	762	3551
" N. Oxford	438	21132	887480	.....	40	21132	887520	41.99	.....	1000	1000	888520	1291	3043	789	1659	953	136	7	2505	540	397	1569
" E. Oxford	650	34495	1479490	146	2700	-34641	1482190	42.78	2000	200	2200	1484390	1927	3616	1269	2005	1512	256	11	3934	1801	790	3031
" W. Oxford	724	25796	1066455	2	100	25798	1066555	41.34	.....	700	700	1067255	1996	2953	583	428	1652	211	11	3321	874	480	2404
" E. Zorra	1134	57518	2729875	.....	.....	57518	2729875	47.11	3810	9900	13710	2743585	3784	8629	2147	3224	2546	461	18	10543	4744	889	4910
" W. Zorra	1000	54998	2598470	93	1145	55091	2599615	47.18	.....	1100	1100	2600715	2735	7942	2132	2062	2115	345	13	11249	4048	565	3673
Total of Townships	9711	471452	19081560	442	5900	471894	19087460	40.38	14295	103775	118070	19205530	29015	60637	15141	27649	19452	3338	128	68378	32693	8364	38477
Town of Woodstock	3829	.....	2525700	.....	.....	.....	2525700	.....	62200	130150	192350	2718050	8888	81	.....	21	289	455	25	.....	.....	.....	.....
" Ingersoll	2108	.....	1303910	.....	.....	.....	1303910	.....	27515	43700	71215	1375125	4432	170	7	50	220	194	11	.....	.....	.....	.....
" Tilsonburg	842	.....	638390	.....	800	.....	639190	.....	3000	48950	51950	691140	2214	224	43	131	259	97	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Village of Embro	225	.....	181033	.....	.....	.....	181033	.....	2600	10450	13050	194083	617	221	45	59	118	41	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
" Norwich	488	.....	266915	.....	.....	.....	266915	.....	5000	17050	22050	288965	1202	65	.....	43	133	52	8	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total of Towns and Villages	7492	.....	4915948		800	.....	4916748	.....	100315	250300	350615	5267363	17353	761	95	304	1019	839	46	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total of Townships, Towns and Villages	17203	471452	23997508	442	6700	471894	24004208	40.38	114610	354075	468685	24472893	46368	61398	15236	27953	20471	4177	174	68378	32693	8364	38477